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"Verdun Impregnable" Declares R. H. Davis After Recent Visit

Noted Correspondent Describes as Far as Possible, Without Violating Secrecy Enjoined Him, Defenses of Stronghold Germans Are Trying to Destroy.

By RICHARD HARDING DAVIS.

SIX weeks ago, when I was in Verdun, the Germans, from a distance of 20 miles had dropped three shells into Nancy and threatened to send more. That gave Nancy a news interest which Verdun lacked. So, I was intolerant of Verdun, and anxious to hasten on to Nancy.

Today, Nancy and her three shells are forgotten, and to all the world the place of greatest interest is Verdun. Verdun has been Roman, Austrian and not until 1648 did she become a part of France. This is the fourth time she has been attacked, by the Prussians in 1792, when she at once surrendered; again by the Germans in 1870, when, after a gallant defense of three weeks, she surrendered, and in October of 1914.

She then was more menaced than attacked. It was the Crown Prince and Gen. von Strantz with seven army corps who threatened her.

Gen. Sarrail, now commanding the allied forces in Salonika, with three army corps and reinforced by part of an army corps from Toul directed the defense.

The attack was made upon Fort Troyon about 20 miles south of Verdun. The fort was destroyed, but the Germans repulsed. Four days later, Sept. 24, the real attack was made 15 miles south of Troyon on the village of St. Mihiel.

The object of Von Strantz was to break through the Verdun-Toul line, to enclose Sarrail from the south and at Revigny link arms with the Crown Prince. They then would have had the army of Sarrail surrounded. For several days it looked as though Von Strantz would succeed, but, though outnumbered, Sarrail's line held, and he forced Von Strantz to "dig in" at St. Mihiel.

The salient of St. Mihiel still exists. It is like a dagger that failed to reach the heart, but remains stuck in the flesh. On either side the French surround it. In January, from the first line of trenches to the north, I could look across the salient held by the Germans and see, on the other side of them, 800 yards away and facing us, the French trenches to the southwest.

Present Attack Is Directed Straight at Protecting Forts

THE attack of Von Strantz having failed, a week later, on Oct. 3, the Crown Prince attacked through the Forest of the Argonne between Varennes and Verdun. But this assault also was repulsed by Sarrail, who captured Varennes and with his left joined up with the Fourth Army of Gen. Langle. The line as then formed by that victory remained much as it is today.

The present attack is directed neither to the north or south of Verdun, but straight at the forts of the city. These forts form but a part of the defense. For 20 miles in front of Verdun have been spread trenches and barb wire. In turn, these are covered by artillery positions in the woods and on every height.

Even were a fort destroyed, to occupy it, the enemy must pass over a terrain every foot of which is under fire. As the defense of Verdun has been arranged, each of the forts is but a rallying point, a base. The actual fighting, the combat that will decide the struggle, will take place in the open.

Last month I was invited to one of the Verdun forts. It now lies in the very path of the drive, and to describe it would be improper. But, the approaches to the fort are now what every German knows. They were more impressive even than the fort.

The "glacis" of the fort stretched for a mile and as we walked in the direction of the German trenches, there was not a moment when from every side French guns could not have blown us into fragments. They were mounted on the spurs of the hills, sunk in pits, ambushed in the thick pine woods. Every step forward was made cautiously between trenches, or through mazes of barb wire and iron hurdles with bayonet-like spikes.

Even walking leisurely you had to watch your step. Pits opened suddenly at your feet, and strands of barbed wire caught at your clothing. Which ever way you looked trenches flanked you. They were dug at every angle and were not farther than 50 yards apart.

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French Artillery Disposed So No Living Thing Can Pass It

ON one side a half mile distant was a hill heavily wooded. At regular intervals the trees had been cut down and uprooted, and like a wood road, a cleared place showed. These were the nests of the "seventy-fives.' They could sweep the approaches to the fort as a fire hose flushes a gutter. That a human being should be ordered to advance against such pitfalls and obstructions, and under the fire from the trenches and batteries, seemed sheer murder. Not even a cat with nine lives could survive.

The German papers tell that before this great drive upon Verdun was launched, the German Emperor reproduced the attack in miniature. The whereabouts and approaches to the positions they were to take were explained to the men. Their officers were rehearsed in the part each was to play. But no rehearsal would teach a man to avoid the pitfalls that surround Verdun. The open places are as treacherous as quicksands, the forests that seem to offer him shelter are a succession of traps. And if he captures one fort he but brings himself under the fire of two others.

From what I saw of the defenses of Verdun from "a certain place" three miles outside the city to "a certain place" 15 miles farther south, from what the General commanding the Verdun sector told me, and from what I know of the French, I believe this second attempt of the Crown Prince upon Verdun, the key to Paris, will be as futile and a hundred per cent more costly than was his first.

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Three Former Secretaries of War Tell Post-Dispatch Why We Should Lose No Time in National Defense Campaign

But All Warn Country That Any Plan That Includes Continuance of the National Guard as a State Organization Will Certainly Fail to Accomplish Its Purpose

Jacob M. Dickinson Says: Those Who Oppose Preparedness Are Expecting Us to Hazard Our Great Interest Upon Their Mere Judgment and to Bet the Odds of a Great Catastrophe Against the Mere Cost of Preparation.

THREE former American Secretaries of War—Jacob M. Dickinson, Luke E. Wright and Henry L. Stimson—who are strong advocates of immediate preparedness for defense, have given to the Post-Dispatch, upon its request, the following statements of their reasons for believing that it is imperative that this country put itself into a condition to crush any foreign aggressor who may attempt to violate its soil or to obtain a foothold in the Western Hemisphere in violation of the Monroe Doctrine. Their statements follow:

Dickinson Has No Fear Preparedness Will Lead to Aggression

Moreover, He Prefers to Take the Risk to Leaving Ourselves to the Kind of Humanitarianism Europe Is Showing.

By Jacob M. Dickinson.

Secretary of War in President Taft's Cabinet.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I BELIEVE in and have constantly advocated preparedness. I do not believe it will lead us to aggression, but I would prefer taking the risk of aggression and be adequately prepared for defense rather than to be helpless and hazard our national welfare by relying on such humanitarianism and magnanimity as other nations are now exhibiting. If we must trust, then let us trust our own wisdom and self-control and preserve ourselves a choice between war and peace, rather than by mendicants for such peace as other nations may impose.

Those who oppose preparedness, assuring us that we need not fear war and that it is, therefore, a useless expense, are expecting us to hazard our great national interest upon their mere judgment and to bet the odds of a great catastrophe against the mere cost of preparation.

Nobody in the world knew two years ago the condition that would exist today. All of their wisdom and all of their prophecies amounted to nothing. The forecast world has been confounded. Why should we, then, risk so much upon the assurance of people who know no more now what is going to happen than what others knew two years ago would happen?

Little Hope in National Guard.

I think that there are defects in Mr. Garrison's continental army plans, but am not wedded to any plan. I do not believe that we can ever make an effective force out of a national guard. However, I would not oppose any plan that will improve our present condition, for we may proceed from that to something better later on.

It is said that we may become militaristic. This is only to be feared if military government in this country shall dominate civil government. This is an idle fear, contradicted by our whole national life. The spirit of our people will never permit it. Even during our Civil War when the nation was convulsed, no such thing was imminent, either North or South.

The withdrawal of young men during military preparation from gainful pursuits is declared to be a great economic waste. This is based on a narrow view and is not true. What they lose for a time will be vastly more than regained by their enhanced efficiency. If there were in the final account a monetary loss it would be more than compensated by the gain in health, intelligence, obedience to authority and respect for law and order.

Good in Military Training.

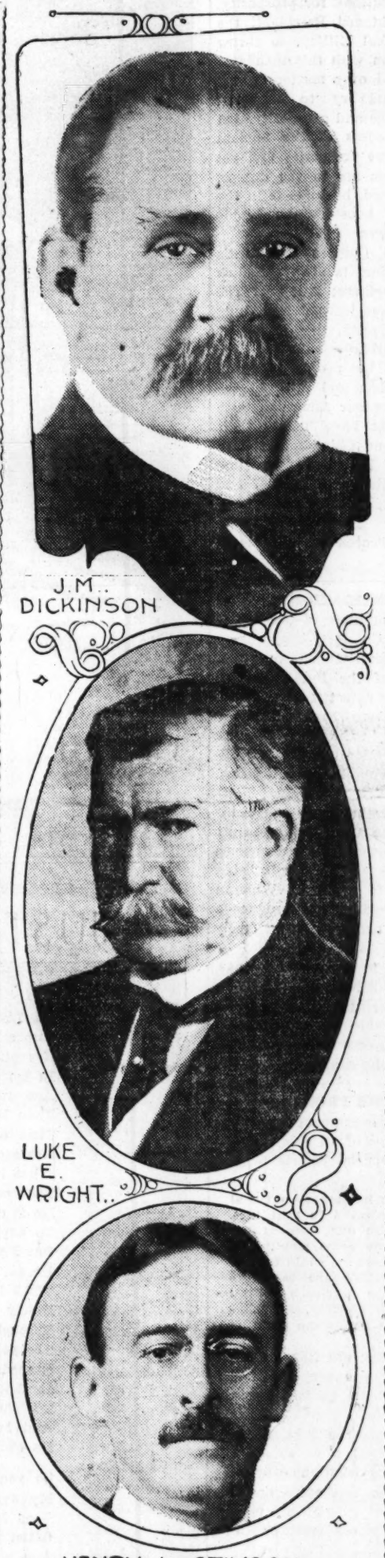
One of our greatest sources of weakness is our general want of respect for governmental authority and irreverence for the law. If we become trained to that obedience of authority inculcated by military discipline, and are filled with the sense that the law is the expression of the sovereignty of the people, and that it is the highest duty of the citizen to reverence and obey the laws which they have in constitutional form enacted we will cease to have such crimes against civilization.

Against the opinion of such men as Mr. Bryan, who is talking without responsibility and whose military experience was confined to holding the rank of Colonel for several months, let us look to the utterance of George Washington that:

"To be prepared for war is one of the most effective means of preserving peace. A free people ought not only to be armed, but disciplined; to which end a uniform and well digested plan is requisite."

If that be considered too far removed from the present time, then listen to Woodrow Wilson, who is bearing the greatest responsibilities of any man at the greatest crisis of our nation. He said in addressing the Edison Board on Oct. 5:

"I think the whole nation is convinced that we ought to be prepared, not for war, but for defense, and very adequately prepared."



J. M. DICKINSON

LUKE E. WRIGHT.

HENRY L. STIMSON....

Garrison's Plan Is the Only Solution for the Problem, Says Stimson

Roosevelt's War Adviser Says It Is in Line With the Views Experts Have Long Held.

By Henry L. Stimson.

Secretary of War in President Roosevelt's Cabinet.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

THE simple and controlling features of the present issue in Congress on the question of military preparedness seem to me to be the following:

First: The traditional policy of the United States calls for a small regular army to act as the first line of our defense and to be also a nucleus and source of instruction and administration for the army of citizen soldiers, upon which in the last event the safety of our country must depend.

Henry L. Stimson Says: Forty-Eight Different Standards of Discipline and Effectiveness Are Destruction to the Efficiency of a National Army — Garrison's Plan for Federal Guard Only Way.

Second. Not only is this our traditional policy but it is a necessary policy. It would not only be contrary to the spirit of our free institutions to maintain a regular or professional army of sufficient size to adequately defend the country, but the cost of maintaining such an army would far exceed what even this country could afford to pay.

Third. We have at present within the United States, within shape of a mobile force (that is, excluding coast artillery, foreign garrison, noncombatants, etc.) about 30,000 regulars and about 129,000 militia, only about 60,000 of which are said to be effective. All experts agree that for an adequate defense we need a total mobile force of at least 500,000 men. Therefore, the problem is to provide for a citizens' army of approximately 400,000 beyond the regulars and militia which we now have.

Favors Garrison's Plan.

Fourth. Congress has been considering two methods of obtaining these additional men. One was Mr. Garrison's method of providing for a force of Federal volunteers, wholly under the control of the Federal Government, to be trained intensively for a period of about six months and then held as a reserve liable only in case of war. The other is the militia plan of paying our militia for their individual service, which is now wholly unpaid, and providing for a further amount of control over them by the Federal Government.

Of these proposals I strongly favor that of Mr. Garrison; it is not new; it is in line with the recommendations of our military advisers for many years. Gen. Upton, our foremost military writer, proposed it in 1880 and the general staff of the army recommended it in 1912 and 1915. It conforms to the essential military principle that an army should be under single and harmonious control and discipline—that of the National Government.

It has been suggested that young Americans would not enlist in it in sufficient numbers to make it a success. I do not believe this to be true. If as many young Americans enlist in it proportionately as young Englishmen enlisted in the unpaid citizen soldiery of Great Britain before the war we should have a force of over 700,000 in the continental army, if as many young Americans enlist in proportion as young Canadians enlisted in the unpaid citizen soldiery of Canada we should have a force of considerable over 800,000. Furthermore, if, after trial of it were found that a sufficient number of men did not enlist voluntarily it would then be very easy to transform this system into a system of compulsory training like that of the Swiss or Australian systems.

Fifth.—On the other hand, our own experience has already demonstrated that the militia plan will be a failure. It will not produce the number of men which we need in this force of citizen soldiery. Since 1903 our Government has been making strenuous effort, with the aid of the devoted work of many officers and men in the National Guard themselves, to increase the number of the guard.

National Guard a Failure.

Beginning with 1903 we have been paying to the states, out of the national treasury, for the benefit of the National Guard, appropriations for maneuvers, for arms, equipment, travel pay, subsistence, transportation to maneuvers and for other purposes amounting to from $2,500,000 to $6,000,000 or $7,000,000 annually. Yet in spite of this systematic encouragement membership in the guard has diminished in comparison with the national population. In 1903 it consisted of 116,542 officers and men; it is now about 129,000. The population of the country in 1900 was fewer than 76,000,000; it is now 101,000,000. Five young English and six young Canadians are willing to serve in their unpaid citizen soldiery in time of peace where one young American is willing to serve in our national guard.

Sixth.—The reason for this stagnation of the National Guard lies not in a difference of patriotism between our country and that of Great Britain and Canada, but because we have been handicapped by a false and vicious system. We make our militia try to serve two masters—the state and nation. We try to create a national army out of what is really a state or local force. We try to make the same man serve both as a soldier and as a policeman. It cannot be done. It works evil in both directions. It tempts the State to slur its police duties and to rely wholly upon unpaid citizen soldiers for that purpose. This results in every petty riot being treated as

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Canadian Air Scout Tells of Hazards Flying Men Meet Over Trenches

Lieut. Boyd, Who Missed German Prison By 50 Yards After Being Shot Down From 12,000 Feet, and Is Now Interned in Holland, Says Aeroplaning in War Is "Bally Good Sport."

By JOSEPH J. O'NEILL,

A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and the New York World.

THE HAGUE, Feb. 20.

"TILL the end of the war! Well, strafe my luck!" says Boydie a hundred times a day.

First, a word as to Boydie. He is Flight Lieut. J. Enol Dunston Boyd of the British air service, a Canadian from Toronto, half-Yankee by experience and inclination, and the worst hellion in the air, his pals say, that ever went up from Dunkirk to drop bombs on the Germans over in Belgium.

Next, a line about why he's continually "strafeing" his alleged misfortune. He's mad, sore, cussing-angry because he's interned in this beautiful capital and must remain here safe from the probability of sudden death until the great conflict is settled one way or another.

"Dash it, old chap! I always was unlucky," he will tell you. "Why can't I be over there with the rest of the fellows, mounting up across Belgium and letting the beggars have the old 75-pound T-N-T bombs once in a while instead of loafing here like a bloomin' tourist? Tell me!"

And now a little history of why and how Boydie happens to be here in The Hague—and you may form your own conclusions as to whether he's a fortunate chap or an unfortunate.

Boydie was shot down by a German "Archibald," as the air service boys call the anti-aircraft guns, on Oct. 3 last, from the almost unbelievable height of 12,000 feet.

Three cylinders were torn away from the engine of his R. E. P. monoplane. The wings were pierced in five different places.

Like a falling leaf, the machine dropped that terrifying distance—more than two miles. It twisted and turned. It looped the loop nine or ten times on the way down.

It finally landed it, right-side up, with the young Canadian safe and sound, just 50 yards inside the Dutch territory. Boydie, to the amazement of the soldiers and civilians of the Netherlands (who expected to shovel up some fragments and place them in a nice new hole), was quite all right. So much so, indeed, that after bringing his La Rhone to a stop after a short run, he sprang from the seat and gave brisk battle to the soldiers of Queen Wilhelmina. They overpowered him, of course, and interned him, but not until there'd been a considerable mix-up, in which fists and noses figured prominently—Boydie's fists and some Dutch noses.

Yet, after that experience, he "strafes" his luck!

I ran across Boydie in an odd way. Four of us Yankees were sitting in the American Cafe one night at a little table built only for two, the place being crowded. A larger table was vacated and we moved for a time. Returning, I apologized for reaching in front of a yellow-haired, wide-shouldered young chap who had taken one of the places we gave up.

"Three cheers!" said he, springing to his feet and extending his hand. "You're an American, aren't you?"

"You bet I am," I told him, just as pleased as he was to hear some English in the midst of all the Dutch chatter that was going on in the crowded place.

"Well, you get no further than here," said he. "My name's Boyd. I'm a Canadian by birth, but I've spent so much time in the States that I'm almost a Yank at heart. Sit down."

Says Aeroplane America Could Not Have Crossed Atlantic

BOYD didn't begin to talk aeroplanes. He simply mentioned the fact that he was an interned Lieutenant and then demanded, with the eagerness typical of every one who has been away for a long time, what shows were running in New York, how Forty-second street and Broadway looked, what new steps were being used in the dances. Curiously, every exile who knows the States wants to hear about the latest theatrical performances first of all.

Lieut. Boyd Hopes to Fly Across Atlantic Ocean in a Day

IT is Lieut. Boyd's ambition to do what Lieut. John Cyril Porte was going to do for the Post-Dispatch and the New York World—fly across the Atlantic Ocean.

"As sure as we're sitting here, I'll do it sometime, too," he said. "But I won't do it as Porte was going to—that is, by a jump from Newfoundland to the Azores, then to Spain and then to England. I'm for making one bite of it—starting off in a bus that can make 150 miles an hour and sticking right to it until I get over. I've been up for nine hours, though of course I didn't maintain any such speed. It's 1900 miles across, and I think it could be made in 15 hours at the outside, with favorable winds."

When he heard I was from the Post-Dispatch and the World he remarked: "I know a chap who was going to do a stunt for your papers. Remember Porte — Lieut. John Cyril Porte —who was going to fly across the ocean in the America just before the war broke out? I met him at Hendon, where he was giving flying lessons last year. Fine chap, Porte, but I don't think he'd ever have got over the water in the old America. She didn't have power enough to get up high and she was altogether too slow. They had her in the Channel last year, scouting, but she wasn't much good."

Then Boyd, in his element, launched forth enthusiastically on the joys of aeroplaning in the war.

"It's the greatest game, the greatest thrill in the world!" he said. "I used to think that driving a motor car 100 miles an hour was fun. I was in that game in Canada for a while. Then I thought that just riding in a slow old biplane 'bus was a pretty keen proposition. But a chap never knows what real sport is until he's driving his own fast machine, with a pal working a machine gun, and going after some other fellow hell-bent for election. That's the life!"

Little by little I got Boyd's story. He is 25. He was associated with his father in an insurance company in Toronto when the war began. He wasn't particularly British by inclination, but the idea that "every chap must do his bit" seized him, as it did thousands of others, and within a few months he was at Hendon taking instructions.

"It makes me laugh now to think of the old biplane 'pushers'—with the propellers at the rear—that I used to fool with," he said. "Old Farnams and Curtisses and Wrights. Why, a chap was lucky to get 65 or 70 miles an hour out of some of them."

Proudest Day of His Life When He Mounted His Flyer.

BOYD spoke as though that speed was really crawling along and, indeed, it was, when one considers the speed attained nowadays by the fast monoplane tractors.

"Well, it was the proudest day of my life when they gave me my flying ticket"—here he displayed his license with his photograph in air togs pasted upon it—"and a speedy little Nieuport biplane and said: 'Here she is, Boydie. Take her over the Channel. Beat it for Dunkirk.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The Death Penalty.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Mr. Jeff Mackay, in the Post-Dispatch of the 3d inst., in replying to my arguments, published a week or so previously, in condemnation of the death penalty for crime, says: "Killing for a proper purpose is right, for it is the law of the Creator."

The only possible proper purpose justifying the slaying of a fellow-creature is self-defense of one's own life, and even that justification is not recognized legally, except every reasonable effort be put forth to avoid it.

The assertion that killing of human beings is a law of our Creator is preposterous and cannot be substantiated under any rational interpretation of scriptural or moral teaching. The Nazarene is nowhere shown to have sanctioned it. Indeed, He, in His Sermon on the Mount, emphatically repudiated the ancient "Eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth" maxim set forth as of old. If Jesus of Nazareth, the world-acknowledged representative o fthe sublime and all-pervasive power behind things terrestrial and celestial, did not sanction man-killing for crime, how can we, mere earth creatures, presume to authorize it and provide for its execution?

Mr. Mackay speaks of over-population. The idea is purely imaginary, and the assertion that wars and other forms of violence are in keeping with the Creator's will, to the end that population may be reduced accordingly, is Malthusianism up-to-date. Land monopoly for unearned gain lies at the root of the trouble.

Lowell tells us of:

> Leagues of unpeopled soil,
> Walled 'round with paper
> 'Gainst God and Man.

Everywhere this condition prevails, and there is but one remedy for it and the author of "Progress and Poverty" gave it to the world and the world is applying it slowly, it is true, but nevertheless surely. Mr. Mackay should read chapter 4 of book 2 of the volume named above: "Disproof of the Malthusian Theory."

Society can better protect itself by doing justice in an economic sense than by depending upon violence to rid itself of its criminals. Injustice buttressed by legal violence breeds individual violence and it has never been demonstrated that veligeance upon the murderer by legally killing him, has ever wrought any perceptible change for the better, in deterring the criminal instinct of others from asserting itself, under certain abnormal conditions of mind action.

L. P. CUSTER.

Puzzling Income Tax Blanks.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Why doesn't the Government print an income tax return blank that laymen (and not merely lawyers) can understand and fill out? Other men than lawyers have to pay income tax. For the past two years—not wishing to be fined "from $20 to $1000" for not making out a technically correct return—I have felt obliged to go to the expense of engaging the services of a good lawyer to fill the blank out for me. Nobody but a lawyer can make sense out of that confused jumble of words and weird columns. And I am not the only legal ignoramus. My lawyer informed me that he had worked until midnight Friday last, making out similar returns for others. An employe of one of the largest law firms of St. Louis bore similar testimony to me of similar services in that office.

I protest against this needless, imbecile expense to be borne by honest citizens and taxpayers. And here is the remedy: Let the Government engage the services of an ad-writing expert (I know a dozen in St. Louis who could do the job), who will have all the legal requirements laid before him as data—and then will translate those "Philadelphia lawyer" technicalities into plain, lucid United States language. That's what women have to do every day.

D. R. W.

Collar-Pads Needed.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Before entering into my complaint, I would like to ask any citizen who might read my article, to please not misconstrue my intent.

I stood on one of the corners in the West End recently and watched a driver take the wagon grease off of the wheel hub and rub it on different parts of two mules, where the harness had worn the hair and tissue off on account of the ill-fitting and rough harness. In my opinion, this could be avoided by dressing the harness with something soft. I felt very sorry for the animals. Think it over, how much better it is to be a human instead of a horse or mule. We don't have to wear rough harness. We can work in soft

CONGRESS UNDOING ITS BLUNDER.

By a vote of 68 to 14 the Senate of the United States has declared in substance that the capital of the United States is Washington, not Berlin; that the President of the United States is still Woodrow Wilson, not Wilhelm II, and that the foreign affairs of the United States are in the hands of the President, not in the hands of the Kaiser.

That is the true interpretation of yesterday's action, in spite of Senator Gore's dishonest parliamentary trick to give the lie to his own resolution, and add further to the President's embarrassments. It ought not to be without moral effect in Berlin, where the belief prevails in official German circles that Congress is five to one against the President on the question of whether Germany's pledges to the United States shall be kept and whether the United States will maintain its rights under international law. It ought to have a decisive effect upon the House of Representatives, which is not yet sure whether it is pro-American or pro-German. All are under oath of allegiance to the United States.

The American people will wonder more and more about the origin of this amazing insurrection and the purpose behind it. Senator Gore, one of the Senate ringleaders, insists that somebody told him the President favored war with Germany, and "I feared it might be true." Without respect for Senator Gore, we do not believe that he believed anything of the kind.

There has not been a day since the sinking of the Lusitania when the President could not have plunged the United States into war with Germany if he had wished. He is the man who has kept the United States out of war. There is not an American citizen outside of a lunatic asylum or a home for idiots who does not know this to be true. Senator Gore is neither a lunatic nor a fool, and when he tries to excuse himself by pretending that he feared the President was seeking war, he knows he is not telling the truth.

We have yet to unravel the tangled skein of motive in which all this miserable business is involved. The one clear fact is it has done irrevocable harm to the foreign relations of the United States and has strengthened the hands of the German Government against the President to such an extent that war may be the inevitable result. It has given to Germany new confidence that the German propaganda in this country is supreme; that Congress is submissive and that the President is powerless to hold Berlin to its pledges. The action of the Senate yesterday will help to undo some of the damage, regardless of the crooked Gore amendment. Decisive action on the part of the House will further minimize the harm.

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Kansas and five other states have no bonded indebtedness. So there is good management somewhere in this great country.

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INCONSISTENT BEN LINDSEY.

Judge Ben Lindsey won much fame as a champion of the rights of children. He deserved it.

But he is back from a recent visit to Europe, where he had a chance to inspect a Zeppelin that had returned from a slaughter of children. He appears to have admired the thing, and tells us, apropos of what he saw, that about 60 of these machines are ready for new raids, equipped with greatly improved fire, gas and other deadly bombs.

The inconsistency of human nature appears in the fact that Child Champion Lindsey, in his remarks on the Zeppelins, has no word of condemnation of midnight air raids, whose victims are largely little children and other helpless noncombatants.

There is something of more consequence, however, than inconsistency in this incident. It is but a part of the general silence, the almost universal absence of condemnation of the war's worst barbarities, that prevails in the United States. Acquiescence at this time, when a mighty protest is called for, means that, in this or future wars, we ourselves may be victims of midnight murder raids and other unspeakable barbarities, and may have to resort to them ourselves in self-defense. It is still, perhaps, not too late to protest.

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High Tariff has just discovered that it did not build up the dye industries.

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OLD UNCLE RAG'S 'POSSUM.

How the good Lord does temper the wind to the shorn lamb! The good Lord loves an old blind negro—his name is Charlie Ragland, and the folks at Larue, Kan., call him Old Uncle Rag—just as much as the old blind negro loves 'possum, only in a different way. Old Uncle Rag has been visited by something like a miracle, that proves it.

Uncle Rag dotes on 'possum, has always doted on it. But he hasn't had any for years, at least not up to the time of the miracle we are about to describe. Before he went blind he was a good 'possum hunter, one of the very best. During the long years of his blindness he could only see 'possum with the eye of the mind, the eye of the spirit. But he couldn't smell him with the nose of the spirit—if indeed the spirit has a nose, which we doubt—and he couldn't taste him with the mouth of the spirit, because the spirit feeds only on dreams and hopes and yearnings and such like. The spirit is sometimes an hungered.

Listen, good people, to what happened to Old Uncle Rag when he went walking through the Slaughter Woods, where 'possums live, last Tuesday afternoon. Old Uncle Rag was just a-groping along with his walking-stick, sort of stumbling and mumbling along, when the good Lord guided his footsteps right to a 'possum. He heard something growling at his feet and he hit at it with struck water from the rock was not truer. Old Uncle Rag hit it and he hit it and he hit it again, and when he stooped and picked it up something told him it was a big, fine 'possum—a gorgeous, fat O'possum like he had been dreaming about. He took it home and Old Aunty Rag put the 'possum in its apotheosis and fried it in its adipose with taters in the pan and she and Old Uncle Rag sat down before the old fireplace and—the good Lord surely does know how to temper the wind to the shorn lamb!

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If there is resolving to be done in Congress, the resolutions should favor the United States.

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CHINA HAS THE BLUES.

The Chinese lately dug up what they believed to be the fossil of a dragon 500 feet long, which they interpreted as a sign from heaven guaranteeing prosperity and the fulfillment of all the wishes of the people for happiness. Everybody was tickled to death. The schools turned out for holidays. Parades, firecrackers, niggerchasers and fiddle music accompanied the millenial aspect and unprecedented outlook for prosperity. It remained for the enlightened President, the pragmatical and pessimistical Killjoy, to throw a wet blanket on the dragon with this mandate: "It is absurd to get excited over matters which one cannot understand, and try to interpret everything as a sign of peace and prosperity. Let us investigate the genuineness of the ancient fossil before we discount the prosperity and get too gay." Now the Chinese are in the dumps, their stock market is slumped, business is in the doldrums, and instead of boosters the people have turned calamity howlers.

Which proves that the Chinese President's wisdom was foolish. Wisdom is always foolish when it proves fatal to happiness; is it not? The Chinese President could have learned something from our President. Prosperity, like panics, is largely, if not purely, psychological. If the Celestial executive had let his people go ahead with their innocent optimism and faith in the dragon (which is not unlike our American faith in the octopus) they might have made their bright visions come true and China might have realized a boom. As it is, President Yuan Shai Kai precipitates a gloom like ours of 1907 and proves himself the Roosevelt of China.

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Clearly, the President scored in his recent twenty addresses.

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STREET CAR VENTILATION.

The Public Health Committee of the Civic League calls attention to the fact, apparent to every one, that street car ventilation in St. Louis is bad. It is the duty of the Public Service Commission to see that the defect is remedied.

Ventilation is possible everywhere. Good air is supplied to men working in the deepest mines. It is merely a question of scientific use of well-known appliances. Few complaints are heard as to poor ventilation of railway coaches. Their transoms, of course, are farther from the heads of passengers than are the transoms of street cars. But, in railway coaches, these transoms are protected with wire gauze, the result being that a cold, direct draft is avoided. When a street car transom is opened it may produce a chilling draft. Or rain or snow may freely enter.

It ought to be possible to arrange openings, sufficient in area and skillfully protected, so that all foul air will escape; and other openings, at suitable places and also shielded, for fresh air to enter. If the local experts cannot do this, it is time to call in those who can.

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HOBBLING TO THE FRONT.

The Austro-Hungarian Government is rather apologetic in its call to arms of all men from 50 to 55 (completed). The official call is worded thus (translation):

> We are fighting for our existence—national existence. Let no one be blind to that fact. Serious losses have broken our lines at the front; and yet we have no more men under fifty years of age with whom we could fill out the wide-yawning gaps. We are therefore compelled to call upon the patriotism of all our men between the ages of fifty and fifty-five years (completed) to go to the front at once.

Austria-Hungary does more; she fills the home offices, previously held by younger men, with those over 55, so as to release as many of the able-bodied to go into the field.

The Austrian women, says the Post, are not as willing to enter upon civil work as are the German sisters; hence many positions which, in Germany are held by women, in Austria are still in the hands of men. These men now are needed to carry arms; and their places must be filled somehow.

In the alternative between boys under 18 and men over 55, the choice has fallen on the older classes.

Says the Vienna Neue Freie Presse:

> The service will be made as easy as possible for the old men—they will not be kept under arms longer than six weeks at a time; then they may return home and attend to their various interests; and after one month they will have to shoulder their arms once more for six weeks.

The papers hint at the "dreadful sacrifice" implied by this latest call; as practically all business in Austro-Hungary now is conducted by men of that age, and business interests "must suffer incredibly" by their enforced absence.

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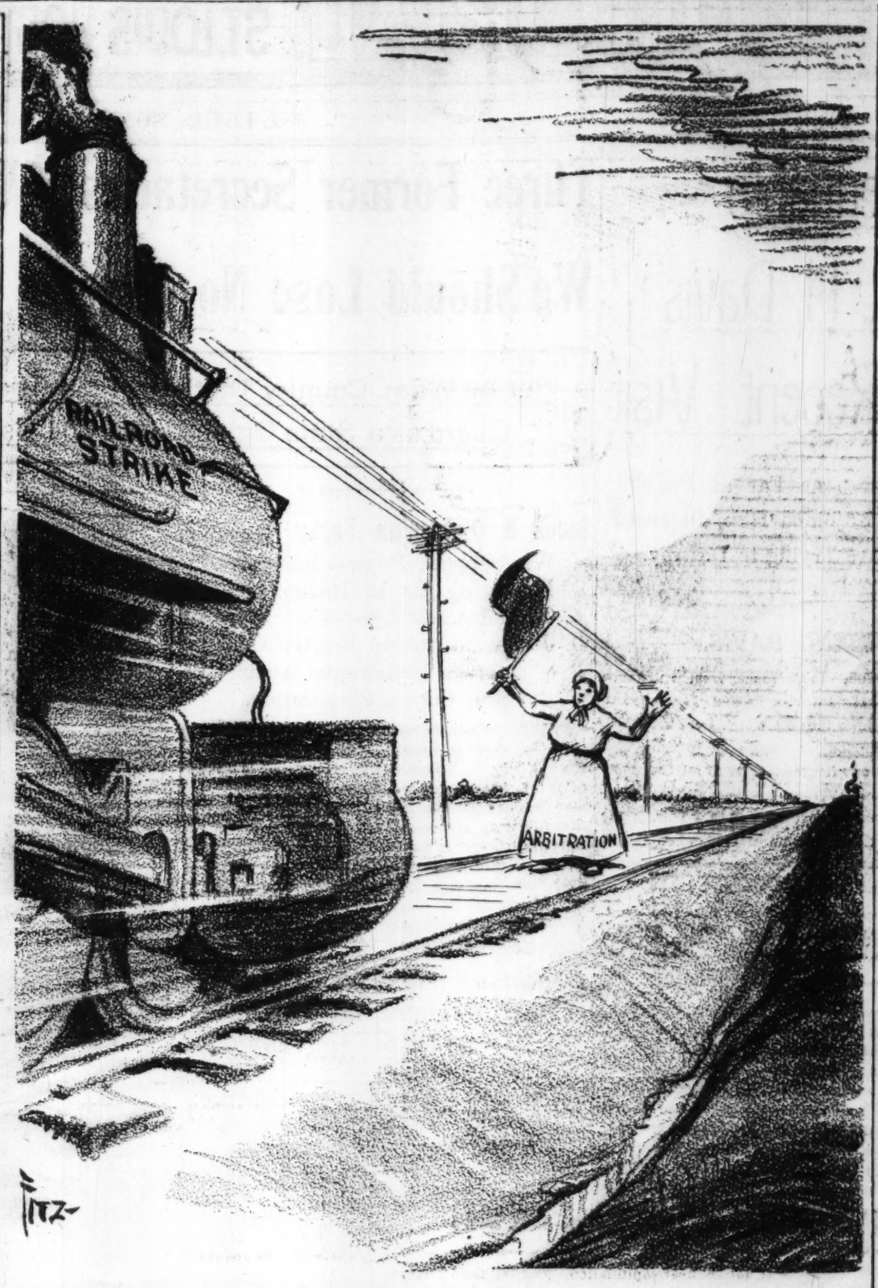
As the population of the United States is to be more than 102,000,000 next Fourth of July, we surely have something with which to prepare for perpetuating our independence.

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BORLAND'S EIGHT-HOUR BILL.

The eight-hour day means different things at different times and places. Generally, of course, it means a reduction in the hours of labor. The railroad unions, however, are urging the eight-hour day with no idea of shortening the working time, but in the design of increasing wages. And at Washington Congressman W. P. Borland of Kansas City has introduced an eight-hour bill which has caused him to be denounced by representatives of the employe classes as "having all the outstanding characteristics of a professional demagogue."

In Washington the department clerks work only seven hours and are offended by the eight-hour



GOING TO RUN HER DOWN?

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by Clark McAdams

IT IS EXPLAINED.

YES, Luella,
Just a Minute
Has an abscess
In his ear,
And it's more
Than likely, dearie,
That he will
Not soon appear.
What it was
That caused the trouble,
He is careful
To explain,
But I guess
He isn't telling
What is getting
Pretty plain.
Through the phone
The politicians
Buzzed him daily
In the ear,
Till the nerve became rebellious,
And he found
He couldn't hear.

So you see,
My dear Luella,
Good from evil
Often flows,
And a swollen
Ear, though painful,
Yet protects him
From his foes.
For the foes,
My dear Luella,
Of the
Just a Minute man,
Are the human
Bees who buzz him
With some
Visionary plan
To reform
The whole creation,
Or get office
For himself,
Help or hinder
Segregation,
Or to make
A little pelf.
So you see,
My dear Luella,
While his torment
Grieves us sore,
Just a Minute
Is escaping
Fortunes worse
From many a bore.

Kirkwood, Mo. R. F. C.

It is reassuring to see our old friend Henry Kolkschneider run up the American flag in the present crisis.

Charlie Chaplin ought to be able to do something for Poland.

IN SIGNS.

A billiard hall, conducted by a colored man in Hodiamont, carries this sign:

Billirds

The colored man who advertised chitterlings easily had it on us, as we learned by looking it up; but we think we have it on this rather versatile business man, whose sign may be seen on Thirteenth street, between Morgan and Gay streets:

Coal and Chitlans.

Cain is raised everywhere, but only in Texas do they bale it. A sign near Ft. Worth:

Baled Cain for Sale.

At Eighteenth and Winstanley avenues, East St. Louis:

Dangerious after 10 at night in hear Watch out.

In the window of a secondhand furniture store in East St. Louis. The dealer is trying to sell a bed and dresser:

This too peace soot for sail

HERO SLEEP.

IF in the soil where her young pride now sleeps,
Each heart did blossom from its early tomb,—
How would the tears Europa's anguish weeps
Like summer rain fall o'er that beauteous bloom!
Each field a sea of roses and each vale
A cleft of spirit violets, each path
A flowered way that led to some fair Grail
Whose realms are far beyond the world of death!

The passing winds here murmur their low songs,
The waste of battle sprawls o'er ruined plains,—
The dawn's great choir no longer sweetly throngs
The wooded chancel with its warbling strains,—
And round these graves Time slowly draws the cloak of years,
Children of earth, asleep mid sacrifice and tears!

IRVIN MATTICK.

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

Query for Sunday Answers must be mailed a week beforehand.

BEAUTY CULTURE.

X. Y. Z.—A beauty writer says: To steam the face means to leave it in exactly the condition of the hands of a woman who does laundry work; shriveled, with skin almost ready to peel and without elasticity. This cannot be right, and the woman who deliberately fills a bowl with boiling water, covers her head and holds her face over the rising steam is very apt to find herself in a deplorable condition when, the cloth withdrawn, she tries to open her eyes. The only way of applying hot water is by using soft cloths, and then the water should only be pleasantly warm; not hot enough to give the least sensation of burning. If this process is kept up long enough the skin grows as soft and pink as a baby's, with the same pearly moisture noticed on the baby's face when it is full of perspiration. This shows that the pores are acting just enough, and the next thing to do is to be quite sure that while they are in this condition every bit of the dust and grime of the day is washed out.

ETIQUETTE.

MOTHER.—A widow is said to wear mourning two years, but she is allowed to marry after 10 months. Mourning for a husband is the deepest, but fortunately for the eyesight, the heavy long veil of crepe is no longer considered indispensable. Fashion dictates that lighter fabric may be used and even a small "widow's bonnet," with its white ruching, is often replaced by a hat of prevailing style, with a veil draped to hang longer in the back than the front. The young widow of John Jacob Astor did not wear black at all; her mourning was all white, cut on very simple lines and practically untrimmed. Her mother persuaded her because of delicate health, to refrain from wearing the conventional widow's weeds.

HOUSEHOLD HELPS.

SUNDAY READER.—Inferior varnish, or changes in the weather, cause varnish cracking on mahogany. Varnish remover (at paint store) will remove, and the furniture may have to be scraped before revarnishing. Some of the furniture dealers have repair shops in which such work is done. By pouring a little olive oil over a soft linen cloth and gently rubbing over the surface of mahogany furniture the white covering caused by dampness, also all dust, is removed and leaves the furniture as clear as a mirror, and saves having it polished.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEEDFUL.—Try writing to some woman's magazine.

ANXIOUS.—No premium on any half or quarter later than 1853.

WILSON.—No premium on 2½ gold, 1856 half dime or 1853 half dime.

MRS. R. H.—The inheritance tax is paid by legatee on appraised value of the property; the same should not have been given to you until tax was paid, and the executor of will is liable for his neglect. Under the facts mentioned nothing can be done to you.

DON.—Sunday was dedicated to the worship of the sun; Monday was sacred to the moon; Tuesday was the day of Tiw, the god of war; Wednesday was the day of the god Woden; Thursday is from Thor, the god of thunder; Friday is love day, named for Friga, the goddess of marriage; Saturday was Saturn's day.

S. C. X.—The good wife in Holland, whose husband becomes a sot and non-support, buys a quart of whisky or schiedam and soaks in it for a week or 10 days a smoked herring, then strains the liquor, puts it in a bottle and presents it to her lord and master. He is delighted. He thinks himself forgiven and believes himself once more a man. After three or four drinks out of that bottle, the very sight of a glass of liquor so nauseates him that he would rather die than tackle it.

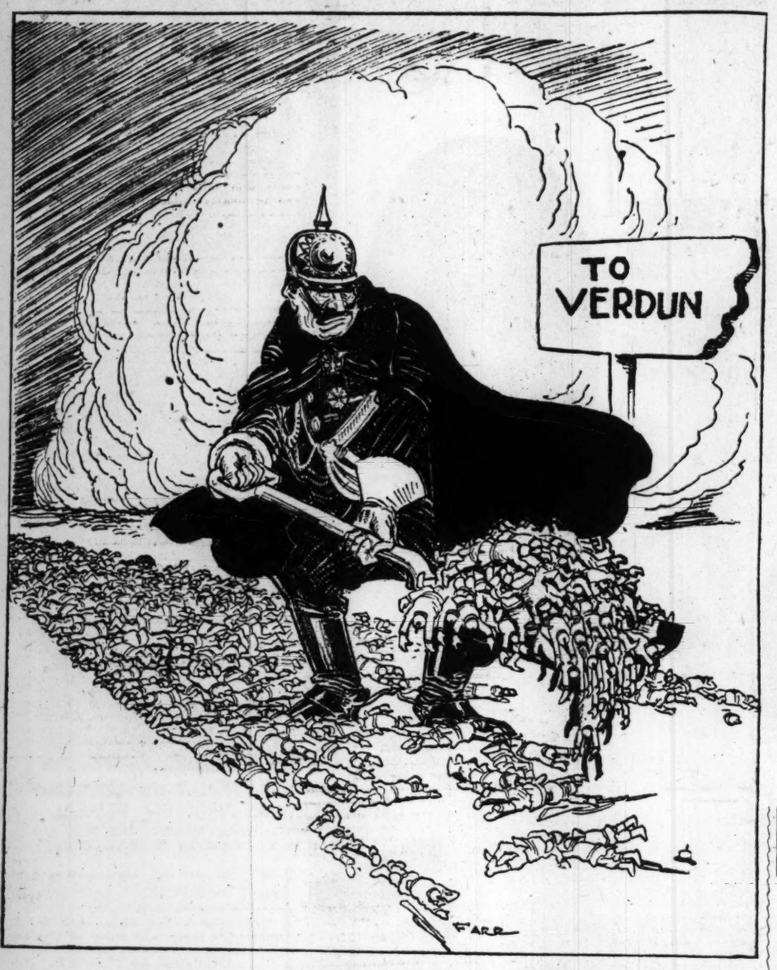
H. B.—Amount of gasoline to run an automobile a certain distance may be determined as follows: One gallon of gasoline will run a one-cylinder 30 miles; two-cylinder, 20 miles; four-cylinder, 15 miles and a six-cylinder car, 10 miles. There are two arbitrary rules for ascertaining the power of gasoline motors, one used for automobiles and the other for motorboats. Neither rule is accurate, because the length of stroke of the piston is ignored. However, the Association of Licensed Automobile Manufacturers has adopted this rule: Multiply the number of cylinders by the bore of the cylinders, squared, and divided by 2.5. This gives the assumed horsepower at 1000 revolutions per minute, but the actual horsepower developed by the motor may be much higher.

HELEN.—Compound interest accrues when the interest of each year is added yearly to the principal of a loan and the interest for each following year computed on the whole, as a new principal. Even though there be an express agreement that compound interest shall be paid, the contract will not be usually enforceable for more than simple interest. When, however, interest has already accrued and become payable, an agreement that it shall be added to the principal, and that interest shall be subsequently computed upon the new principal thus formed, will generally be deemed valid. In like manner, compound interest may be payable in certain kinds of mercantile transactions by virtue of usage. And even where it would not generally be recoverable upon, yet if it is actually paid it cannot be recovered back. When partial payments are made from time to time upon an interest-bearing debt, it is necessary to apply them towards the discharge of the debt in such a way that interest shall never be reckoned upon interest. The following is the rule which has been generally adopted: Compute the interest on the principal from the time when a payment alone, or in conjunction with preceding payments, shall equal or exceed the interest due on the principal. Deduct this sum, and compute interest on the balance as before. By this rule there is never any balance of interest remaining after deducting a payment upon which subsequent interest can be reckoned.

V. G. S.—North American Indian tribes: Abnaki, Acnomawi, Aleuts, Amalecites, Apache, Arapaho, Assiniboin, Babines, Bannock, Beaver, Biloula, Blackfeet, Bloods, Caddo, Caribou-Eaters, Carriers, Catawba, Cayuga, Cayuse, Chehalis, Chemehuevi, Cherokee, Cheyenne, Chickahominy, Chickasaw, Chilcotin, Chilkat, Chinook, Chipewyan, Chippewa, Choctaw, Clayoquot, Clallam, Colville, Comanche, Cowichan, Cree, Creek, Crows, Dakota, Delaware, Dog-Ribs, Eskimo (Greenland), Eskimo (Labrador), Eskimo (Central Regions), Eskimo (Mackenzie, etc.), Eskimo (Alaska), Eskimo (N. E. Asia), Flatheads, Gosiute, Grosventres (Atsina), Haida, Hankut'qin, Hares, Havasupai, Hidatsa, Hupa, Hurons of Loretta, Jowa, Iroquois (of Caughnawaga), Iroquois (of Lake of Two Mountains), Iroquois (of St. Regis), Iroquois (of Watha), Iroquois (of St. Albert), Jicarilla (Apache), Kalbab, Kaigani, Kalyunkho'tenne, Kaiapoosa, Kalispel (Pend d'Oreille), Kansa (Kaw), Kickapoo, Kawia (Cahuilla), Klowa, Kitksan, Klamath, Klickatat, Konkau (Concow), Kootenay, Koyukho'tenne, Kwakiutl, Lillooet, (Statlumh), Lummi, Maidu, Makah, Mandan, Maricopa, Maskegon (Swampy Cree), Mashel, Menominee, Miami, Micmac, Mission Indians, Mississagua, Modoc, Mohave, Mohawk, Montagnais, Moqui (Hopi), "Moraviana," Munsee, Nahane, Nascapee, Navaho, Nespelim, Nez Perces, Niptissing, Nipissing (Algonquins), Nisqually, Noothe, Okanagan, Omaha, Oneida, Onondaga, Osage, Ote, Ottawa, Paiute, Pamunkey, Panamint, Papago, Passamaquoddy, Pawnee, Penobscot, Peoria, Piegan, Pima, Pomo, Ponca, Potawatomi, Pueblos, Puyallup, Quapaw, Quileute, Quinaielt, Sacs and Foxes (Sauk, etc.), Sanapoil, Sarcee, Sekane (Sikani), Seminole, Semota, Shawnee, Shoshonee, Shuswap (Scappamuq), Sioux, Six Nations (Canada), Six Nations (New York), Skagit, Slave, Snaimuq (Nanaimo), Soulteaux (Lkungen), Spokan, Tahltan, Tera, Thompson Indian (Ntlakapamuq), Tlingit, Tonkawa, Tsimshian (more), Tuscarora, Tutchonekut'qin, Uinta Ute, Umatilla, Uncompaghre Ute, Ute, Walapai, Wallawallas, Wichita, Winnebago, Wyandot, Yakima, Yellowknife, Yuma.

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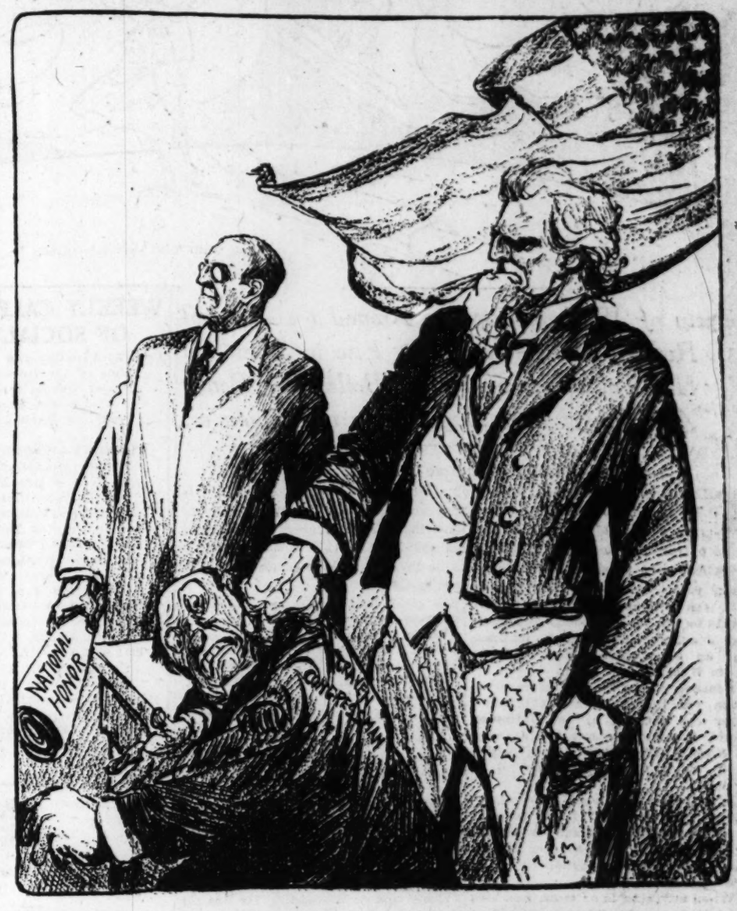
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THE ROADBED.
—Farr in the New York Evening Telegram.



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UNCLE SAM: "WHEN THEY PLAY 'AMERICA,' STAND UP!"
—Donahey in the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Big German Drive at Verdun

VERDUN'S HISTORY.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat: The capture of Verdun, famed for a thousand years, would bring new courage to Berlin, whatever the ultimate consequences. It was at Verdun that the treaty of 843 was promulgated, dividing the Carolingian kingdom. Verdun was a free German city until the Westphalian treaty sanctioned French domination. It was surrendered by the French royalists to the Prussians in 1792. It was captured in the war of 1870 and was held as a pledge until full payment of the great war indemnity in 1873. It was an early objective in the war, but the campaign was not waged on as large a scale and with such terrific energy as at present.

BACK TO MEN.

Chicago Herald: The terrific battles about Verdun have been distinguished by the use of infantry in great masses in the open field. Forts and trenches have been wiped out with comparative ease by the searching artillery fire. Deprived of this protection, both assailants and defenders have fought face to face in the open, as in former days of warfare.

Thus we see again illustrated the fact that there is no final substitute for flesh and blood. At the beginning of the war forts were relied on to withstand the utmost strength of an attacking force. Then Antwerp and Liege came and great reliance was put in trenches. But now comes the great battles around Verdun and we see that when the issue is put in its sternest form it becomes the world-old issue of man to man—of flesh and blood and the will to conquer and, if need be, die without hesitation.

Of course all the devices of defense still have their uses. Forts are still aids to defense and neither army would think for a moment of dispensing with the protection of trenches. But the operations around Verdun show that the only safe frontier is a frontier of men—that the only country which can hope to maintain itself against a vigorous and aggressive enemy is the country whose citizens know their duty and are prepared to do it to the uttermost.

PART OF A BIG DRIVE.

Cleveland Plain-Dealer: The audacity of the German attempt to storm these positions is one of the most amazing facts of the war. The wonder is increased by the knowledge that the Crown Prince is staking almost everything on this one throw. Failure at Verdun, after the terrible and incalculably costly effort which has been made, must be a heavy blow to German prestige, and the risk must have been thoroughly understood by the German commanders.

And now, finally, comes the culmination of the stupendous German plan. Without weakening the attack on Verdun a great new attack has been inaugurated in Champagne. The French trenches have been penetrated along a broad front and strong reinforcements have been demanded to check the unexpected Teuton tide at this point.

It has not been generally believed that the Germans contemplated an advance on Paris from Verdun. Verdun's capture was deemed essential to a successful German advance much further west. Is it possible that Champagne is the point selected for the beginning of the actual drive, and that the drive has already been begun in confident anticipation of German success at Verdun?

Such a supposition is not complimentary to the German commanders. Verdun has not fallen and is not yet near capitulation. The attack in Champagne may be more reasonably interpreted as merely a large diversion, calculated to prevent the sending of reinforcements to the Meuse.

Moreover, Paris, noting the nearness of Champagne and the remoteness of Verdun, is greatly agitated by the new development. Such an effort on the enemy's capital is not of negligible value, and to bring this feeling of nervous uncertainty may have been part of the German strategy. Any possible injury to the hitherto perfect morale of the French nation and the French army would be more useful to Germany than the capture of the strongest fortress.

THE LAST CHALLENGE.

Louisville Times: At Verdun, the flower of the German army and the greatest of the German guns are still seeking to drive through the wedge that will burst in two the steel chain that holds them back from Paris.

It is the last great challenge. If it win, the final cost of allied success can be made so staggering as to invite terms in which Germany has a share in making. If it fail—as fail it will—the beginning of the end for German arms has been reached. There will not be another winter of trench warfare. The circle of steel, at times bent back in places, will be drawn the closer. Peace when it comes will be at the allies' terms.

The Kaiser has a throne to consider in the final reckoning. Already there is rioting among the German people. The failure of its armies to overwhelm such despised foes as France and Russia the footing up of the cost of failure will not strengthen the hold of the War Lord and the war party on the unquestioning affection of a stricken people.

Can it be that the Kaiser is already casting about for excuse and that the enforced entrance of the United States into the quarrel as Germany's foe will supply it?

HORRIBLE LOSS OF LIFE.

Boston Globe: The losses in the German drive for Verdun have been staggering. Even if later reports cut the present figures in half they will still be enormous. They are, like all the mortality records of the present war, totally unparalleled in history, and they seem to reduce the dangers of previous campaigns to something like the status of the year's total deaths on the railroads or by shooting accidents.

The men killed in battle throughout the whole American Revolution numbered only 1028.

In the Cuban campaign less than 400 men were killed.

In the Civil War the total number of deaths on the Union side from all causes was 349,944. On the Confederate side the total number of deaths from wounds or while prisoners has been compiled as 163,973.

In the single operation at the Dardanelles the British lost 114,555 men. In the British drive last March at Neuve Chapelle, 10,000 men were killed or wounded in 24 hours, and subsequent reports increased this figure. Estimates of the number of men of all belligerent nations in the present war is nearly 4,000,000.

Since offensive operations are so crushingly expensive in men, it becomes a question whether either side can afford the reckless expenditure of life which seems to be necessary in order to make a clean breach in an intrenched enemy's line. The breach can be made. But, then, there remains the question whether it can be pushed or even maintained.

Republican Presidential Candidates

Philadelphia Inquirer: Slowly the list of Presidential aspirants is lengthening without much light being thrown on the probabilities of action at Chicago. At present the officially announced candidates are:

Samuel W. McCall.
Robert M. LaFollette.
Theodore E. Burton.
Albert B. Cummins.
Charles W. Fairbanks.

While the following are being considered:

John W. Weeks.
Charles E. Hughes.
Lawrence Y. Sherman.
James R. Mann.
Elihu Root.

It is rather remarkable that four of these are now Senators, one is an ex-Senator, one is a member of the House, one an ex-member and now Governor, one a former Senator and Vice President, while Hughes is an ex-Governor and now Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court.

These are the leading names mentioned by Republicans from among the regular membership of the party. It cannot be said that ony one of them has much more than a local following at present, with the exception of Hughes, who does not wish to be a candidate, but who is being pressed in various quarters in a way that is one of the most remarkable things in the history of American politics.

But no list would be worth anything which did not include the name of Theodore Roosevelt, who, amazing as it may seem, and distasteful as it appears to many, has probably a larger following than any of those mentioned, although he is not an avowed candidate.

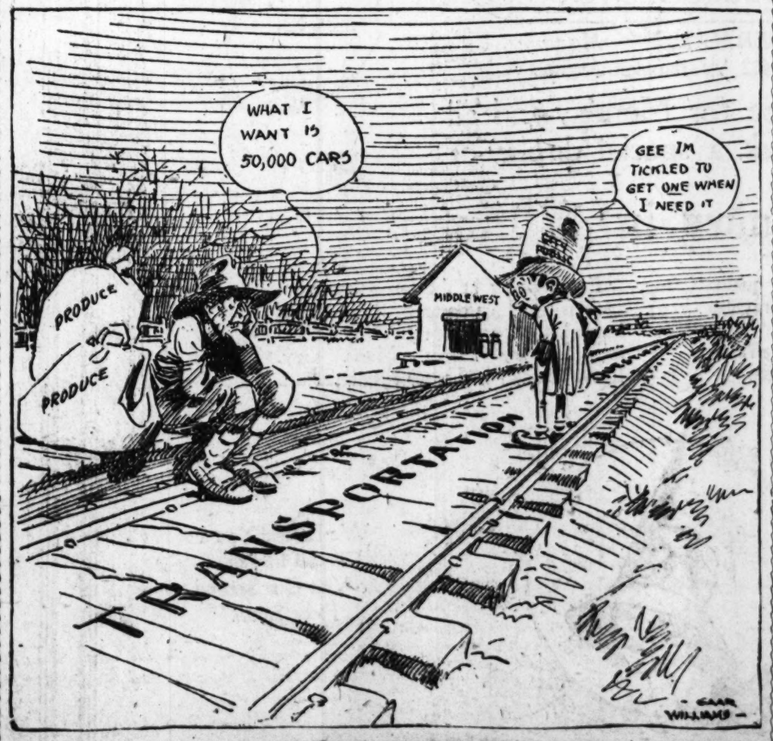
It is only a little more than three months until the convention meets. At present there is less fixed idea as to candidates than ever before in the history of the Republican party. This is due in part to the large supply of available material and a larger part to the fact that Republicans are not so much interested in any particular man as in securing a candidate who can win. In about six weeks a considerable number of the Republican delegates will be elected at primaries, so that if there is to be any expression of opinion on the part of the voters it is about time they were making up their minds on this important question.

Portugal on Eve of War

Cleveland Plain-Dealer: Portugal has not declared war on Germany, but she has, none the less, taken the plunge which cannot be forgiven if Germany wins the war. By confiscating all German ships interned in the harbors of Portugal and the Portuguese colonies, the little republic has definitely aligned herself with Germany's foes. If Germany neglects to declare war it will be because she is too busy elsewhere.

Yet it is not likely that Portugal materially changed her status by this latest act of hostility. There was very little hope for Portugal in the event of a German victory. During the first year of the war German and Portuguese colonial troops repeatedly clashed in Angola, and a few pitched battles were fought. Later, Portugal officially proclaimed herself the friend of England, and expressed her willingness to enter the war whenever England might call for her aid. This was enough to give Portugal a prominent place in Germany's black book. It is quite certain that if Germany wins she will take as one of her prizes of victory the entire Portuguese colonial empire.

Portugal's future being wholly dependent on British success, she has determined to contribute as far as possible to that success. She can do very little, but the German ships which she has taken may be of advantage to Germany's enemies. Either admirable spunk or petty spite is being displayed by the republic. It depends on the viewpoint.



THE CAR SHORTAGE.
—Williams in the Indianapolis News.

The "Sink-Without-Warning" Order

"MISTAKES" WILL OCCUR.

Detroit Free Press: Aside from the likelihood that some of our nationals will soon become victims of a Teutonic attack on an armed merchantman, there is great danger that the undersea boat commanders may make "mistakes." In fact, it is not easy to see how the German program as mapped out can be successfully applied. How is a submarine to know whether the merchant ship it approaches has guns? It may carry them masked. The natural outcome of uncertainty in this direction is not hard to conjecture. Yes, there are bound to be "mistakes."

Suppose Americans are killed, what is this country going to do about it? What can it do? The President can write notes! That would be worse than useless.

We might send Ambassador von Bernstorff home. Where would be the benefit? The action would amount to little more than an expression of impotent anger unless followed by some more effective procedure. It would make a bad matter worse.

We might declare war. What weapons would we use? Where are our armies? Where is our effective fleet?

Everyone knows what this country ought to be in a position to do. With its great resources and its hundred millions of people it ought to be in a position to force respect and consideration. But it is not in that position. And in our sad plight there is a lesson.

AN EXCEPTION IN WARSHIPS?

New York World: "As I understand it," says Count von Reventlow, "your Secretary of State recognizes submarines as legal war craft and at the same time accords to armed merchantmen the right to treat them as pirate craft." Secretary Lansing accords no such right to merchantmen, but he does insist that submarines are warships and as such subject to international law, which Germany denies.

If Germany had a fleet on the high seas it would not contend that a cruiser or dreadnought was authorized to sink a merchantman without visit and search and without removing its passengers and crew. What it demands in the case of submarines is that they be given privileges greater than any vessel of war can possibly claim. What Secretary Lansing insists on is that, as they are warships, they shall, while operating in that capacity, observe the rules of honorable warfare.

The fact that a submarine is afraid to visit and search an enemy and cannot save life does not relieve it of responsibility to law and humanity.

DON'T ABANDON PRINCIPLE.

Philadelphia Record: Germany insists that conditions have changed and that international law should change accordingly. Even if the argument were good—which need not here be considered—the fact is that international law cannot be changed by Germany. It cannot be changed by one nation, even with the assent of one other nation. It is a body of usages or of agreements entered into by the members of the family of nations. International law remains unchanged if one nation, with or without the consent of one other nation, ventures to violate it.

As a matter of naval policy the distinction Germany would make between merchant steamers with and without arms is impracticable. The commander of a German submarine torpedoed the Arabic because he thought that steamer was going to ram him. An Austrian commander of a submarine shelled the American tank steamer Petrolite because he thought it was [illegible] cruiser. If such mistakes can be made, what chance would a merchant steamer without guns have? It might carry guns, as the German Moewe did, which could not be seen. It might have no guns and the commander of a submarine might think it had; or allege that he did. The principle involved must be defended, and we cannot consent to the abandonment of international law.

APPROACHING A CRISIS.

Boston Traveler: Germany has decided to sink every armed merchantman that it is possible for her submarines to sink.

That much is settled and, probably, beyond any possibility of new information or new instructions from Berlin.

President Wilson's position on that matter has made clear—so clear, indeed, that there is no possibility of a new position on his part.

Thus, the month is closing with a probability that friendly relations between this country and Germany will be terminated within a short time.

Meanwhile, those who, publicly and privately, are advocating the entrance of this country into war on the side of the allies are doing what they can—unthinkingly, of course—to make the position of their country, as represented by the President, a difficult one.

Let them restrain their passion for hearing themselves talk. It is barely possible that later something more valuable than language will be required of them.

NO SURRENDER!

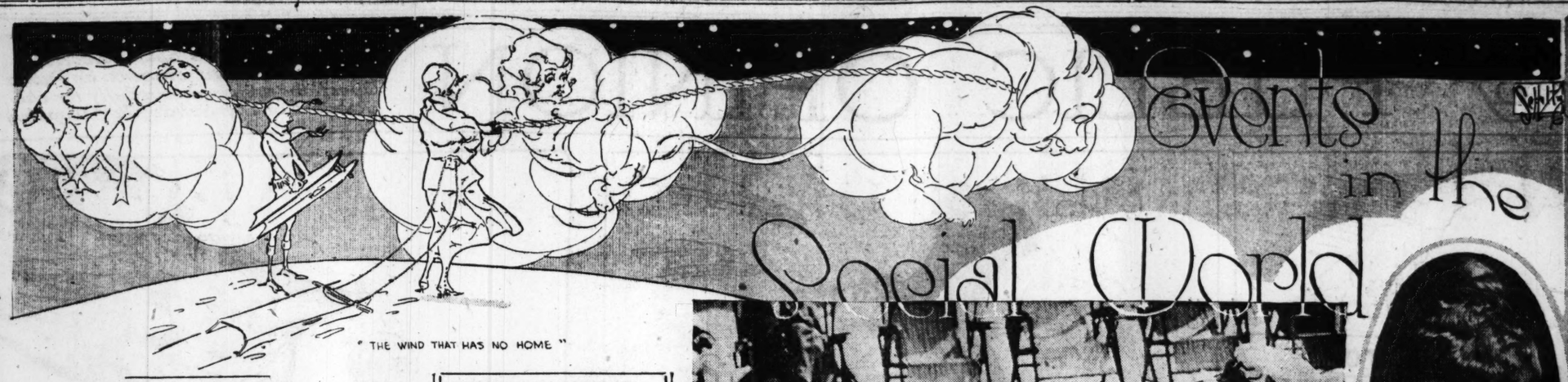
Chicago Herald: President Wilson stands firm on accepted international law and principle—on the view that merchant ships, even if armed for defense, are entitled to warning—in spite of the desires of certain Congressmen to concede everything to the other side.

This position is fundamentally sound and patriotically wise, in spite of all the trimmers and "cloakroom conspirators" may say. To make the concession demanded by Germany would be to concede not only the principle involved, but also practically everything else that Germany wants. It would be equivalent to a charter to her from the greatest neutral nation and the sole nation which stands unequivocally for the validity of international law to do exactly as she pleases on the seas.

Concede the point, and we may be sure that every merchant ship henceforth sunk by German submarines will be termed an "armed" merchant ship. There will always be some sort of "evidence," secret instructions, if nothing else can be had, to establish the victim's armament. There will always be found somewhere or other grounds for an interminable discussion as to the question of fact. And, in the meantime, submarine murders will continue.

A DIFFICULT CHOICE.

New York Journal of Commerce: Here then seems to be the alternative with which the German menace confronts the world. Either all merchant vessels must go unarmed, with the result of giving German submarines command of the ocean routes to a perilous extent, thereby adding substantially to the power of the central allies in fighting their enemies on land, or merchant vessels must go armed for defense, with the probable result of again rendering the activity of German submarines futile. There can be no doubt as to which alternative is the more desirable or would be adopted if a choice should be insisted upon. If merchant vessels are compelled to fight in order to keep on in their service to the nations, it will be another novel development in modern warfare forced by the Teutonic Powers.



Events in the Social World





MURILLO PORTRAIT.

MISS LUCILE ROBYN

WHOSE ENGAGEMENT TO MR. EDWIN LEE TOBIN HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED



GERHARD SISTERS PORTRAIT.

MISS EMMA WEBSTER POWELL

WHO WILL MARRY THE REV. A. H. W. X. ANDERSON AT EASTERTIDE.

Gayety of Week to Revolve Around the Imperial Russian Ballet—Everything Else in Smart Set Has Taken Second Place—Belles and Beaux Are Making Their Engagements in Accordance.

By Frances Cabanne Scovel.

THE gayety of the week will revolve around the Imperial Russian Ballet, which will make its first appearance in St. Louis tomorrow evening at the Odeon. For weeks, now, the Russian dancers have been a topic of conversation, and judging from the interest that surrounds them everybody who possibly can is going to be in the audience tomorrow night. Many persons are going to all the performances.

It was at first announced that there would be but three, Monday and Tuesday evenings, and Tuesday matinee, but an extra performance will be given Wednesday evening.

Because of the number of reservations for the Monday night dance after the theater, at the Jefferson Hotel, the management has arranged a Mardi Gras dance for Tuesday night, when fancy costumes will be optional.

It will be a gala week for theatergoers, as there will be a favorite actor in one of the season's successes at the Shubert, besides other attractions at the other playhouses, silent and otherwise.

When anything is as much heralded as has been the "Ballet Russe" it often fails to come up to expectations. But such is not the case with Serge de Diaghileff's dancers whose costumes, designed by Leon Bakst, have made their impression of our very styles, giving them touches of crude colors and trimming of queer design. It is said the production exceeds anything imaginable.

So there is no wonder that everything social has taken second place, and belles and beaux making their engagements accordingly.

IN spite of its near tragedy, the offending of one of the principals by one of the stage managers and the short time in which it was gotten up "Love in a Toy Shop" was one of the best if not the very best amateur productions with a "society cast" given in St. Louis in years.

The near tragedy was when Mrs. W. Arthur Stickney, who was to have taken one of the principal roles, was set afire at dress rehearsal Thursday night when she was standing near the lighting switchboard.

Her dress, a diaphanous affair with metal spangles or trimmings, is supposed to have generated a spark. In a moment she was in flames. Her cool - headedness, and William H. Crowell and Clarence King, woh were nearby, saved her. Mrs. Stickney made a dash for the nearest box and tried to wrap herself in heavy curtain. Mr. Crowell and Mr. Hopkins tore it down and rolled her in it putting out the flames.

She was badly burned, but will not be scarred.

Her part was taken by Miss Marie Wight in the first act and Miss Margaret Wright in the second.

Altogether the play was delightful. The costuming beautiful and the features well brought out.

Spring millinery opening Monday and Tuesday at Myles', 413 N. Seventh street.

A STRICTLY new feature will be introduced Friday evening, when the Century Boat Club will give a "jingle party." The function will be exclusively for Boat Club members.

The rules prescribe that members and their ladies may appear in informal or fancy dress, without mask, but in order to gain admission to the ball room must have attached to dress or costume, in greater or less numbers, jingle bells of large or small size.

Special music will be provided under the direction of Henry Falkenhainer.

Former Judge and Mrs. Matt G. Reynolds of 4944 Lindell boulevard gave a dinner party Wednesday evening complimentary to Capt. and Mrs. Alvon C. Hodgson, who are spending the winter here. Since retiring from the navy, Capt. Hodgson and Mrs. Hodgson, who was Miss Julie von Schrader of St. Louis, divide their time between Washington and Philadelphia, where their daughter resides and St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blair, who have been for the past two weeks at the Mexican Gulf Hotel in Pass Christian, Miss., are now in Florida. They will visit New York and Atlantic City before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Root of Fort Worth, Tex., are visiting Mrs. Root's parents, former Judge and Mrs. A. W. Hope, at the Hamilton Hotel, for a few days.

Mrs. C. F. Richard of 4221 Berlin avenue entertained Thursday with a bridge luncheon. Covers were laid for 21 guests.

Miss Dorothy Marianette Pickert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Pickert of 4573 Vernon avenue, entertained from 4 to 6 yesterday afternoon.

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF SOCIAL EVENTS

MONDAY—Opening performance of the Imperial Russian Ballet, Odeon, 8:15 p. m.
Miss Agnes Taussig, bridge party, at Woman's Club, 2:30 p. m.

TUESDAY—Wedding of Miss Nannie McClelland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McClelland of Washington, D. C., to McClelland Barclay, late of St. Louis, now of Detroit, son of Dr. Robert Barclay of St. Louis, in Washington.
Mardi Gras Bal Masque, Elks' Club, 9 p. m.

WEDNESDAY—Last performance of the Imperial Russian Ballet, Odeon, 8:15 p. m.

THURSDAY—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Troll, a dance, 3635 Shaw avenue, 9 p. m.

FRIDAY—Century Boat Club, jingle party, 9 p. m.

SATURDAY—Liederkranz Club, entertainment, "Spirit of the dance," 9 p. m.

The color scheme was red and white in every detail.

Those present were: Misses Bett, Watts, Harriet Crowley, Aileen Menard, Margaret Fairweather, Florence Noel, Helen McAnulty, Mary Stella McAnulty, Heath Dresher, Katherine Murray, Daisy Weiss, Elizabeth Brown, Julia Gammans, Minnie Rosenberg, Thata Roberts, Hazel Eaton, Carmon Ely and Emma Eaton; Messrs. Paul Crowley, John Barnes, Jack Pfaff, Harry Ware Jr., Vernon Pickert, Travis Mason, Raymond Thurston and A. Ogden Arcer.

When you wish to match the trimmings of a gown, or have your dress dyed another color—Schuck can do it—quickly and satisfactorily. He has the dyes and knowledge.

Miss Lillian Ottenad of 2033 Russell avenue entertained with a surprise miscellaneous shower Thursday at her home, in compliment to Miss Nettie B. Pfiffner. There were 14 guests.

Mrs. A. Shank of 4466 Laclede avenue and Mrs. I. Pattiz of East St. Louis departed last night for Shreveport, La., and adjacent cities, to spend the remainder of the winter with friends and relatives.

You, too, will like
"The Cleanest Laundry."
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Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dutcher of 5986 Kingsbury boulevard are touring Florida and will be at Miami and Palm Beach this week.

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Our initial display of imported Spring hats, blouses and sweaters begins Monday. Sally Meagher, 801 Century Building.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Berdanier of 6023 Maple avenue entertained a number of friends with a musicale last evening. Mrs. Morris Skrainka, James McAnulty and the Misses Nan Byrnes and Patrice McGrath assisted in a musical capacity.

Our styles create individuality. J. White, Ladies' Tailor and Importer, 1602 Olive street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gordon announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Hazel Gordon, to Leroy F. Purrington of Chicago, at a luncheon given yesterday afternoon at their home on Lynn avenue and Hanley Park.

There were 18 of Miss Gordon's intimate friends present.

The table was decorated with Killarney roses and ferns. Extending from the sides of the rose favors were Cupids holding a ribbon to the center of the table. At the end of each ribbon was a rose and enclosed in its petals was a small scroll announcing the engagement.

The wedding will take place in June.

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Mrs. Samuel J. Keiffer of 5788 McPherson avenue, will entertain with an auction bridge party tomorrow afternoon at the new Missouri Athletic Association. This will be the first party given in the new club.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Yeckel Jr. of 3630 South Grand avenue, have returned from Florida resorts and Cuba, where they spent the winter. While in Miami, Fla., they visited Mrs. Yeckel's parents Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walker at their winter home.

An affair in suburban society recently was the reception of Mrs. Stratford Lee Morton at her home in Webster Park, Wednesday afternoon. The house was decorated in asparagus fern, and spring



STRAUSS PORTRAIT.

MISS DOROTHY NICHOLSON

WHOSE MARRIAGE TO MR. JOSEPH BRADLEY MORRILL OF BOULDER, COLO., WILL BE ON APRIL 6.



MURILLO PORTRAIT.

MISS VIRGINIA WILBRANDT

WHO IS BETROTHED TO MR. A. WALLER GIFFORD.

MISS ANNIE LAURIE WARMACK and MISS MARION BOND

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flowers, jonquils, tulips, sweet peas and narcissus.

Receiving with Mrs. Morton was Mr. Morton's sister, Mrs. Arthur Anderson, assisted by Mrs. George B. Logan, Mrs. J. Porter Henry, Mrs. Triffon von Schrenck, Mrs. Blasdel Shapleigh, Miss Margaret Shapleigh, Mrs. Dorothy Frazier and Mrs. Tullius C. Tupper.

More than 200 guests attended.

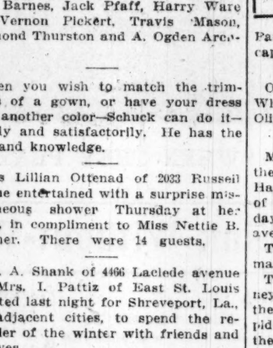
Miss Margaret Miggins of 4344 Swan avenue, departed Wednesday to join a party of friends at St. Augustine, Fla., where she will remain until April.

When you send your white coat to Scott's to be cleaned you are secure in the thought that the result will be most satisfactory. Scott's are also doing lace curtains.

Mrs. Huntington Smith, without whom no local amateur performance is complete, was booked for "Mrs. Bosser-husband," but when the professional director forgot she was dealing with amateurs, and spoke to Mrs. Smith in tones that only a professional actress could stand for, she never said a word, but walked out of her part. It took about two hours' persuasion, after Mr. Smith found out what happened, to make him go on with his role, one of the funniest and most important in the cast. Only after Mrs. Smith had added her voice for the good of the cause did he consent to go on. It is said that one of the Frohmans once offered Mrs. Smith, who was then Miss Caroline Lackland, a part. With her voice, beauty and style she probably would have "arrived" somewhere had she gone into "acting" seriously.

"Love in a Toy Shop" had for its theme the same old story of the toys

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The wonderful display of apparel, with its setting, a beautifully executed garden scene, together with music, will make this occasion one not soon to be forgotten.



Living Models and Music

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—shown here are but few of the many exquisite creations to be found in our Dress Department. We invite you to inspect our beautiful assortment of Afternoon, Street and Evening Dresses and Gowns. All materials and colors of the Spring season are delightfully combined with the most beautiful workmanship.

$25 to $150

The Costume Suits

The charming garments to be shown in the "Garden" will give an idea of the completeness with which we equip ourselves to serve our patrons. We have caught the spirit of the season's styles and have embodied it—in its various forms—in every one of these suits.

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Beautiful Blouses

Our Waist Department offers an assortment of Blouses in Georgette crepes, crepe de chine, pussy willow taffetas and will-o'-the-wisps; beautifully trimmed in beads, Irish crochet, lace, gold and silver thread and lace, and some coral trimmed. There are so many exquisite creations in so many new colors and effects that they must be seen to be appreciated.

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$8, $9, $10

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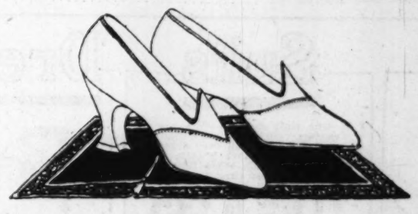
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coming to life and which always is interesting.

There were dances by all kinds of dolls, "silhouette" dolls, "Tommie Atkins" dolls, "Smock" dolls, who were girls about 14 years of age, and who rode hobby horses and jumped rope and played leap-frog to syncopated music. They were as cunning as could be. Nancy Walker was one of them and between acts sat on the rail of the box occupied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Herbert Walker.

The hero of the play, "Maurice," was Virgil Lewis, who falls in love with the dancing doll, Miss Edith Whittemore. He steals her and takes her into the "world," represented by a summer garden with a cabaret.

It is in the garden scene that Mrs. Charles Parsons Pettus dances a waltz with John Downing Johnson. This is one of the prettiest scenes in the play.

It was here that Miss Margaret Wright sang her song—without words, for she forgot them—and told someone in the front row she had, and everybody heard her. It only added to the delight of the audience and the cleverness of her acting.

Miss Anna Benoist was a charming fairy who set the toy shop in motion; Miss Isabel Capen was a worthy successor of her sister, Miss Adaline Capen, who is regarded one of the best amateur actresses in town. She and Virgil Lewis were fine in their Chinese doll dance. Their costumes were beautiful—so was their dancing. The whole play was so good and everyone in it so finished that it is almost impossible to describe it in detail. Everyone was better than everybody else, especially Miss Minnie Potter, who added to laurels won in "Campus Mouser," two years ago, by her comical dance, in which she was graceful in spite of herself.

"Love in a Toy Shop" is a pantomime in the first act and a variety show in the second, and ends with a dance in which almost all the smart young set takes part, going onto the stage, "Follies" fashion, through the aisles.

Miss Edith Whittemore's dancing was a great surprise. Everyone had heard she could do toe dancing, and she has danced in public on one or two occasions, but she has developed into a dancer of technique quite remarkable. She made a lovely doll in her pink tarleton costume.

The production was given under the auspices of the Junior League. The proceeds will be used to establish a lunch room for girls in the factory districts.

The "Neosho Girls" were entertained at the home of Miss Carrie Heinrich, 3512 North Twenty-first street, Wednesday evening.

Those present were Misses Dorothy Hake, Esther Partenheimer, Leonora Schneider, May Schneider, Helen Spilker, Elsie Trampe and Edna Yeager.

Miss Mildred Jakle of 3451 Minnesota avenue was given a birthday party Feb. 27. Decorations were in red, white and blue.

Three clubs were present, the Manitous, Valerias and Triple C.

Those present were Messrs. Clarence Henseler, Alvin Bruening, Roland King, Alfred Dill, John Grauel, Bobby Evans, Adolph Kuellmer, Norman Smith, John Alles, Walter Stigletz, Adolph Senning, John Witte and Burnell Dutton.

Misses Marie Bruening, Helen Kintzele, Rose Boyle, Lydia Loida, Elsie Loida, Lucille Cull, Amy Dil, Fannie Guenther, Corine Wagner, Margaret Plochman, Olive Couriskey and Hattie de Balistrier.

Miss Katherine Wones of 4960 Schollmeyer avenue was hostess at a surprise party Saturday evening given in her honor. Those present were: Misses Esther Barsachs, Edna Borgwald, Katherine Schafer, Adele Schroeder, Anna Wahoff, Hazel Monti, Leona Johns, Emily Meyer and Flora Borgwald; Messrs. Albert Borgwald, John Simonick, Joe Wones, Hugh Brown, Frank Sondermann, Frank Depke, Will Bellue, David Francis, Joe Wahoff, Anthony Zeiler, Paul Mesmer and Fred Ehrhart.

The Daisy Chain Girls gave a Leap Year party Tuesday evening at the home of Amelia Fischer, 3630 Indiana avenue. Those present were Misses Amelia Fischer, Vera Bruemmer, Hilda Graef, Edna Moore, Johannah Exler, Gertrude French, Myra Long, Irene Bruemmer, Agnes Pauly and Elizabeth Groetsch; Messrs. Frank Woelfert, Gus Simon, Will Groetsch, Julius Fischer, Charles Pauly, Thadeus French, Charles Ryan, Harry Bruemmer, Richard Graef, Ollie Exler and Arthur Fischer.

Miss Ida Greenberg of 5648A Etzel avenue entertained the Sextette Club at her home last Sunday afternoon. The members are Misses Roselind Lisner, Mathilda Silverstein, Esther Hirshfeld, Ida Greenberg, Clara Gamn, Pauline Rosenberg, Eva Fisher and Lillian Grodberg.

The Onyx "500" Club held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. S. Simon, 2528 Burd avenue, Thursday. The card tables were decorated with the club colors of pink and white.

Those present were Mmes. Bloomer, L. Simon, F. Lehr, F. Vollmar, J. Cooper, M. Hartman, P. Flueck, C. Slich, W. Kaeshamer, B. Schnurmacher, V. Sommers.

Members of the Margaret A. E. McLure Chapter U. D. C. will entertain tomorrow with a reception at the home of Mrs. O. L. Perkins, 4519 Washington avenue.

Among those invited to attend are the presidents and officers of the several U. D. C. chapters in St. Louis, the Confederate Veterans and the Sons of Veterans.

A musical program has been prepared for the entertainment of guests.

Miss Sophie Breitwieser of 4303 Clay avenue, entertained Saturday afternoon.

Those present were Misses Marie Zingre, Edith Wilson, Louisa Oppliger, Viola Reitter, Mabel Kirkwood, Louisa Fehanbach Frieda Zingre, Ilda Wiedman, Edna Ashner, Viola Kirkwood, Florence Breitwieser and Mrs. William Frankman.

The St. Louis Chapter U. D. C. will meet at the Hamilton Hotel Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Hostesses will be Mmes. John A. Blevins, O. L. Brown, J. McDade Jones and J. M. Sloan.

A birthday party was given by Mrs. George Frank of 2821A Parnell street Feb. 26. Those present were Mmes. Aletia Zeis, Lilly Aberle, Elizabeth Edwards, Minnie Wolf, Anna Hennen, Ida Kiefer, Sally Wolf, A. Fendler, Millie Boerger, Kate Fitzgibbons, Julia Oneal, Emma Geier, Elizabeth Meeks, William Hortsman, Charles Boetcher, Anna Lang; Misses Margaret Frank, Irma Kiefer, Lillian Wolf, Virginia Lathance.

The Acquinas Club gave a Leap Year party at the home of Miss Eva Merget, 3226 California avenue.

The following were present: Misses Florence Nichols, Bertha Alt, Emma Royer, Carrie Goerische, Hesther Haar, Agnes Pahl, Bertha Goerische, Mabel Haar, Lillie Miller, Edith Fricke and Bertha Becker.

Messrs. George Sparwasser Her-

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VERDI'S "REQUIEM" TO BE SUNG IN HONOR OF DEAD IN THE WAR

Pageant Choral Society, Accompanied by Symphony Orchestra, at Odeon, Night of March 14.

In honor of the dead in the European War, Verdi's "Requiem" will be sung by the Pageant Choral Society, accompanied by the Symphony Orchestra, at the Odeon on the night of March 14. The soloists will be Mrs. Marjorie Dodge Warner of Chicago, soprano; Mrs. E. George Payne, St. Louis, mezzo-soprano; Albert Lindquest, New York tenor; and Charles E. Gallagher of Cincinnati, basso. Gallagher made a pleasing impression as soloist at a "pop" concert at the beginning of the season.

Verdi's great work has not been heard in this city for 15 years. At the kaffeeklatsch given Tuesday under the auspices of the Pageant Choral Society, it was learned that three of the four soloists are still living who aided at the first presentation of the "Requiem" here in 1879. They are Miss Emilie Cuno, soprano, of 3739 Windsor place; Miss Julia Krug, mezzo-soprano, who holds a position at the Public Library; and Ferdinand Diehm, tenor, of 6175 Kingsbury boulevard. The fourth soloist, a basso, named Schraubstaedter, is dead.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Shirley Brooks will give a lecture on the "Requiem," with musical illustrations, tomorrow afternoon at the Warwick Hotel.

St. Augustine's Parish Party.

Women of St. Augustine's parish will give a euchre and peanut party at the parish hall, Hebert and Lismore streets, at 2 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon.

Holy Ghost Parish Party.

The Married Ladies' Sodality of Holy Ghost parish will give a euchre, penuchle and peanut party this evening in the hall at Taylor and Garfield avenues.



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Complete Showing of

Spring Apparel

STYLE SHOW WEEK

OUR corps of buyers have been in the market for several weeks gathering together the best products of this season's styles and designs from the most exclusive makers of outer apparel. Therefore, instead of the usual heralding of the season by an exhibition of living models and other unusual expensive attractions, we have determined to open the new season by offering special items in each department at practically cost price for tomorrow only.

Read Every Item Carefully as to What We Have to Offer.



MILLINERY

THE Millinery Section is silent expression of the Beautiful in its collection of individual creations of artistic Spring and early Summer hats. Featuring, Mushrooms, quaint Pokes, smart Sailors and various dress shapes in all colors, made most desirable by their trimming of dainty flowers, beautiful ribbons and fancy ornaments.

For This Occasion — **Special Millinery** — We have collected 77 Hats that were $7.50, to sell tomorrow at **$4.98**

Coats



IN Our Coat Section—An inexhaustive variety of fabrics, such as imported novelty weaves, English coverts, fine poplins and gabardines, checks of all sizes, Scotch plaids, white chinchilla and shadow checked chinchilla, at

$5 to $30

In all the new lengths from the short flared 26-in. Coat to the full length Motoring Coat with full sweeps and all the new collar designs.

The $25.00 Coat (as illustrated) and two other styles for tomorrow's selling only, at **$21**

Suits

IN Our Suit Section—We are offering without a doubt the most varied selection ever shown in St. Louis. The short jaunty, flared effect, Eton styles, loose flared box effects; at prices ranging from

$11.50 to $35

All of them with dainty touches of coloring and all the new trimming effects, new combinations as well as every collar and sleeve model shown this season.



The $27.50 silk taffeta Suit (as illustrated) and two other styles for tomorrow's selling only, at **$23.90**

Dresses



IN Our Dress Section—Our exhibition of Spring Frocks for street, afternoon and dancing was never so complete. The prices ranging from

$5 to $25

Materials are the best silk poplins, Georgette combinations, crepe de chines, crepe meteors, taffetas, stripped taffetas and shadow stripes—colorings are all the new pastel shades and staple blue and blacks.

The $22.50 Dress (as illustrated) and two other equally as beautiful styles for tomorrow's selling only, at **$18**

Waists



IN Our Waist Section—Despite the great difficulty in securing plenty of silk Georgette and crepe de chines, we have gathered together dozens of beautiful models at prices ranging from

$1.95 to $5.95

Also most wonderful collection of dainty embroidered Waists in voiles, lingeries and organdies, as well as voiles with dainty touches of color, ranging in price from 75c to $1.95.

For Monday's selling we will offer 20 dozen $2.95 Striped Silks, in Habutais, Fussy Willow and Crepe de Chine for Monday only. **$2.25**

Skirts

IN our Skirt Section—You will find a very large number of exquisite models ranging in price from

$3.90 to $15

The materials are silk taffeta, silk chuddahs, poplins, men's-wear serges and all kinds of handsome checks and plaids.



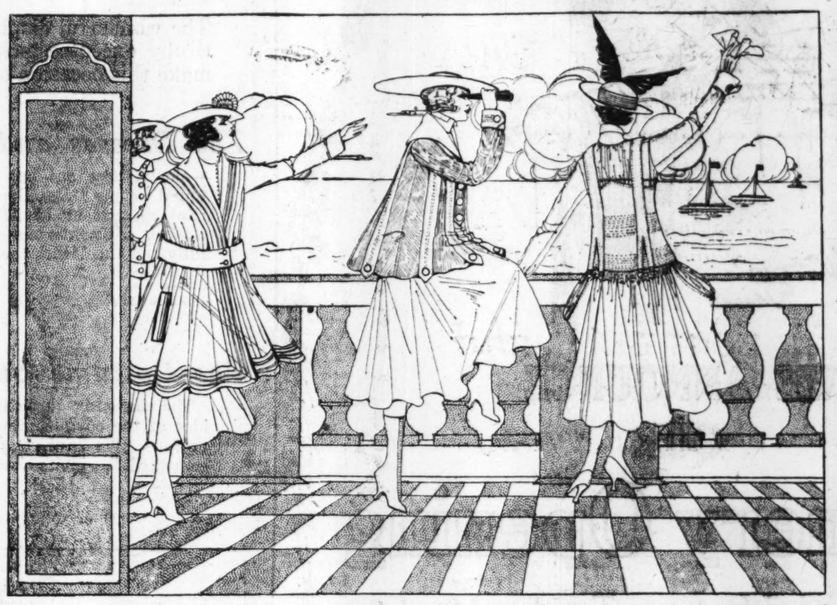
This $5.00 Silk Taffeta Skirt (as illustrated) and two other equally as attractive styles at **$4.25**

Coiffures of models will be arranged by, and cosmetics used, from Miss Bender's "MARINELLO" Shop.

Garland's

Music under direction of Gene Rodemich will start at 10 o'clock, Tableaux & Promenades at 11.

Fashion Show—Style Exhibit and Tableaux "De Luxe"



Monday & Tuesday, March 6th and 7th,

To which we extend a cordial invitation to all femininity (the men are welcome, too) in St. Louis and vicinity, and to everyone within the shopping radius of our city.

"Who Leads"—One of the Tableaux Is Reproduced Above.

A formal presentation and exhibition of outer-raiment for women, misses and children. An assemblage of all that is correct according to the edict of Dame Fashion for Spring and Summer, 1916.

Nothing has been omitted or overlooked that will tend to make this the most notable Fashion Exhibition we have ever attempted, and we believe far ahead of anything of its kind St. Louisans have ever seen.

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are urged to make our store their headquarters. Check your grips and parcels here free of charge. Make yourself at home in our Rest Rooms. Make appointments with your friends to meet you at "Garland's-on-Broadway."

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From 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. and 2 to 4 p. m., *a special exhibit of garments on living models, preceded by a series of Fashion Tableaux and Poses on 2 stages with full and complete stage settings.*

Each Tableau will represent a special occasion or subject—"Springtime," "Yachting," "Surf Maids," "The Dansant," "Golf and Tennis," "Here-Comes-the-Bride," "Peek-a-Boo" and a dozen others, each with apparel correct for the occasion and orchestra accompaniment.

Music by Gene Rodemich's orchestra.

We are sending out no special invitations—everybody welcome—come

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Spring Millinery Openings

MONDAY and TUESDAY



THE BROADWAY MILLINERY SHOP

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Particularly do we wish you to see the Beautiful Spring Display of

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MARDI GRAS TRAVEL PUTS NEW LIFE IN RIVER TRAFFIC

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 4.—Mardi Gras travel by river this year will fall below records of the old Anchor liners of 30 years ago, but it has established new life in a business that threatened to become a memory.

Memphis, the past week, entertained 631 Mardi Gras excursionists, who came on the steamers Homer Smith, St. James and Col. Conway. The Homer Smith passengers numbered 205 and there was room for more down the river from Memphis.

Realizing that an effort is being made to revive river passenger traffic, Memphis Business Men's Club members tried to make the excursionists stay here pleasant. Dozen of automobiles were at the wharf when the boats arrived. Cannons fired a salute. Whistles blew a welcome.

Travel this year is heavier by threefold than it has been in more than 20 years, according to Capt. James Reese, head of the Adam's line of steamers. He believes that if the proper steamers can be constructed, insuring excursionists safety from sinking and fire, the year 1917 will mark another increase. Capt. Reese said no boat ought to be constructed now unless of steel, with every fireproof and nonsinkable device known.

There was little river traffic from Memphis to New Orleans for this Mardi Gras. The City of St. Joseph, leaving last Wednesday for Vicksburg, carried a few passengers, who meant to spend two days in Vicksburg, another boat for Natchez, and there transfer to a steamer to New Orleans.

Striking Spring Suits

at the Famous **Bedell** Fashion Shop

Washington Avenue and Seventh Street

SUITS and frocks that achieve a new interest—the new flowers of fashion which have come up from the boardwalks of Florida—tailored pictures from the active imaginations of great French designers. They are here in companies and in regiments, certified to by fashion leaders.

Latest Postilion Coat Suits and Short, Picturesque Peplums

Unstinted in Variety

$25



If you had thought of paying $40 or $45 for a Spring Suit, first see this representative assortment at $25.

Styles which are reminiscent of years ago, lifted from the chest of ever-recurring modes—yet so new and so appealing that you will be hopelessly "out of it" without one.

Debonair postilion coats, with little coachmen's capes—as if they had stepped from an old English print.

French style suits, with fitted waists flaring suddenly into saucy peplums—skirts that are full and skirts that are fuller, reaching scarce to the shoe-tops.

Tricot serge, gabardines, Spring velour checks, suede velours, velardine, pin-seal cloths; in the more-than-ever popular blues, from ocean to navy; grays, putty, greens, champagne, stripes, plaids, combinations of stripes and solid colors.

With vastly more attention paid to the artistic silk linings than ever before.

Spring Frocks in Newest Silks

Authentic Models

$19.75



The spirit of the new season, translated in Taffeta, literally filled with the sunlight of Spring; new Georgette Crepes and pastel Crepe Meteors in shades and combinations which have not been seen before.

Silks and satins and satin crepes which soon will appear upon the promenades, in the cafes and at the matinees—with the smartest touches of lace, the new collars which have come to supersede the chin-chin, and stripes that run this way and that.

These are dresses which play their parts well, with a certainty of touch which indicates their authenticity of style.

They are designed, at this price of $19.75, for women who must have a variety of frocks, for morning and afternoon, for the house and for the street—to intermingle on the friendliest terms with $75 and $100 gowns.

No Charge for Alterations

SPRING VERSIONS IN HATS

Period Styles in Bewitching Shapes

$5.00 and $10.00



The veil is drawn aside tomorrow on the most fetching assortment of Spring millinery St. Louis has ever seen in years—**or that it ever saw at $5 and $10.** Those new Burgundies, roses and blues, in hats of braids and satins and ribbons—the new Louis XIV shapes and Directoire styles, smart as the heel on a French slipper. Small, turban-like hats, tall hats and hats with curling brims—hundreds of the newest Parisian ideas.

Sale at St. Louis Store

SOCIAL EVENTS

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man Gerdes, Emil Krapp, Will Ford, Will Hearn, John Alt, Fred Baltz, Ralph Ranft, Will Baltz, John Pahl, Herman Gerke, August Gubser, Will Rodentz and E. Kreibec.

Miss Myrtle Conners of 2930 Caroline street entertained Tuesday evening with a variety shower in honor of Mrs. George Finazzo.

Those present were: Misses Mayme Scully, Mayme English, Kathryn Daly, Fara Fitzgerald, Margaret O'Donnell, Lucill McLear, Nellie Fitzgerald and Nellie O'Donnell.

Mmes. Nellie McDonald, Theodore O'Brist, M. Dietrich, Geroge Finazzo, Joseph McDonald, Anna Goram, Joe Messing, K. Walsh, James Scully and Donald Finazzo.

Tuesday evening the Happy-Go-Luckys gave their first informal dance at Heidorn's Hall.

The members are: Misses Olga and Della Harnagel, Mamie and Edna Dependahl, Marie and Anna O'Connor, Vera Krein, Rovena Borchers, Eva Grasch and Billie Wentz.

Miss Elizabeth Grigsby of 2849 Lafayette avenue entertained at her home Saturday evening with a Leap Year party.

Those present were Misses Margaret Clancy, Ruth Hutchison, Elizabeth Koehler, Nonie Kinealy and Elizabeth Grigsby.

Messrs. C. Mederith, Ed Buehning, C. Gilbert, John Huhn and Harry Ruby.

Members of the Chantioleer Country Club formally will open spring festivities at their clubhouse near Valley Park, Mo., with a dance on the evening of March 18.

The members are: George McSkimming, George Erlinger, Al Brandt, Louis E. Steiner, Marion Dunn, Arthur Brandt, Jack Walsh, Meinrad Stuppy, Carl Corcoran, John Moore, Hugh Corcoran, Jack Ross and Harold Fitzroy.

A surprise party was given in honor of Miss Elizabeth Herget, at her home, 3644A Tennessee avenue, on Wednesday evening.

Those present were Misses Kathryna Dingfelder, Ella Dressler, Frieda Eberhart, Edna Fritzinger, Mathilda Obermeyer, Anna Schulte, Margaret Ward, Edna Wilson, Margaret Wink, Anita Zoeller.

Messrs. J. Meyer, A. Herget, W. H. Dees, C. Dickie, Edward Herget, A. Brommer.

Messrs. and Mesdames W. L. Dees, E. O. Herget and C. J. Herget.

Mrs. H. J. Stolle of 4235 Magnolia avenue entertained with a 500 party Monday afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. May M. Zwartsmotz, who will depart today for Dallas, Tex., where she will meet her fiance, Claude C. Schwab. She will be married Tuesday. After their honeymoon trip Mr. Schwab and his bride will make there home in San Angelo, Tex.

Miss Mattie Heob celebrated her birthday Feb. 26, entertaining friends at her home, 4333 St. Louis avenue.

The guests were: Misses Vera Alt, Lottie Keary, Ina Elledge, Mabel Fey, Sarah Marlen, Irene Stieren, Hattie Weiniger, Gladys Goodin and Helen Winston.

Messrs. Joseph Overbeck, George Stephenson, Otis Heob, Henry Schmidt, Ernest Fey, Julius Oberbeck, Elroy Heob, Henry Stratmann, John Hill, Eugene Wan Meter, Harry Neuling, Leo Stratmann and Carl Pfhanstiel.

The engagement of Miss Ruth Rosinsky, 3419 Bell avenue, to Samuel E. Greenberg, was announced at a dinner given Feb. 26, by the prospective bride's mother, Mrs. Taube Rosinsky. Mr. Greenberg is a furniture dealer of Covington, Ky.

Originality is being tested by the girls of the four classes of Lindenwood College, St. Charles. Each class, during March, is arranging a dramatic sketch, of half-hour length, to be presented, all in one evening, just before the spring vacation, March 28. "Take-offs" on the college faculty and other burlesques are planned. The girls are to prepare their own stage settings.

There are 28 in the senior class. Miss Laura Craig of Maryville, Mo., is president. Miss Mary Kathryn Cardy of Marceline, Mo., is president of the junior class.

A birthday party was given in honor of Miss de Salles Brown at her home, 1920 East Grand avenue, last Sunday. Those present were Misses Margaret Hill, Elizabeth Hill, Norma Barron, Mariebelle Ricks, Ruth Wurmb, Blanche Strunkel, Mary Madlinger, Florence Petschou, Anna MacKinker, Josephine Fogarty, Catherine Dowling, Helen Fisher, Florine Fisher, Esther Hoffman, Robert Brown, Pearl Kellerman, Estelle Robertson and Mae Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Burgess are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son, Thomas A. Burgess Jr. Mrs. Burgess, before her marriage, was Miss Louise Hutchinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchinson of 2622 Virginia avenue.

Miss Theodosia Barnett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Barnett of 5315 Delmar boulevard, has her cousin, Miss Martha Miles of New York, visiting her and will give a series of informal teas on Sunday afternoons in her honor.

Miss Miles is the daughter of Gwylem Miles, formerly of St. Louis. His wife was Miss Minnie Haines, Mrs. Barnett's sister, also of St. Louis. Like her parents, Miss Miles is musical and is said to have a soprano voice of great promise. She will go abroad to continue her studies as soon as conditions permit.

A surprise party was given to Miss Ruth Gabler at her home, 2921 Indiana avenue, Feb. 26. The following were present: Misses Mae Ihle, Ruth Gabler, Edna Frieburg, Clara Mueller, Fannie Novak, Dorothy Novak, Dorothy Ham-

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OLIVE at TENTH

Will Present, Beginning Monday, an Ensemble of Exclusive



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Introducing a profusion of striking modes; many elegancies in trimming and tailoring; disclosing the influences that have shaped the present season's styles. Providing interesting opportunities for satisfactory selection to women of discriminating trend.

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Other Nemo models give complete and comfortable hygienic support from underneath; but the Wonderlift not only supports, but *lifts into place,* and holds in healthful position, all the vital internal organs. It prevents, relieves and often cures painful and dangerous ailments that cannot be effectively reached by medical treatment.

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There are Wonderlift models now for all figures from cadaverous to gigantic:

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No. 557—For slim figures, prominent hip bones, concave abdomen—$5.00.

No. 998—For very large women with heavy, hanging abdomen; the greatest corset ever made for women of this type—$10.00.

No. 1000—A model *de luxe,* for average full figures; of lustrous brocade—$10.00.

Illustration on right shows position of Nemo Wonderlift Bandlet when adjusted, wearer seated. The adjustment is made by an inside lacing, laces passing through eyelets to outside of corset. Support given is so perfect, constant and comfortable that thousands of physicians now "prescribe" the Wonderlift Corset in place of costly, cumbersome and often ineffective bandages.



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Honest Advertising is our method in making our success, not a lot of hot air, but real values—among these 310 Suits on sale Monday you will find smart velour checks, worsted checks—taffeta silk—wool poplins—mannish serges—all the latest colored and black and white checks.

18 smart styles to select from, made in the **smartest models** and copies of $30 and $40 Suits; all colors; all sizes for misses' and women; your choice, **$14.95.**

$8.50 New Smart Spring Coats—White chinchilla, new shades, Spring shades of corduroy, serge and check Coats in every size; special sale Monday for. **$5.00**

Monday we will sell 48 Suits left from fall; some fur trimmed; broadcloths and poplins; sold at $20 to $40; also any Coat in the house for..... **$5.00**

Binner



Demonstration

Our special showing of the well-known Binner Corset, in charge of Mrs. Mara, who comes direct from the maker, is still in progress.

We urge you to take advantage of this opportunity at once, as this is Miss Mara's last week in St. Louis.

Appointment can be made by phone, if desired.

Prices, $6 to $25

We invite nonresident buyers to write for our Latest Style Book, which will be ready about March 15th.

Barry's

Locust Street, West of Seventh

REID'S

Spring Style Show of Shoes

For Every Occasion

In anticipation of an unusually good business we have fairly eclipsed all previous efforts in the selection of styles for our Spring stock. We have every popular leather or fabric made up in styles adapted to every occasion and designed to harmonize with every costume.

You will find your fondest expectation exceeded in our display to meet the requirements of the season.

REID'S
711 Washington Av.

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mer, Edna Kancke, Edna Singler, Grace Singler, Katherine Singler, Elsie Dietze, Clara Altman, Bertha Fink, Florence Honerkants, Edna Honerkants; Mrs. J. Lenbarth and Mrs. Foerstel; Messrs. J. A. Wilkins, William Babbitts, George Sallwasser, George Benish, Edward Benisch, Edward Peistrup, Charles Borgwald, Arlington Baumunk, Charles Schultze, Edward Hussman, Ernest Hussman, Jacob Lenz, Emmett Costello, William D. McCarthy, John T. Hanning, Milton Minnio, David Murphy, C. W. Smith, C. W. Looner, George Murphy, John Hannion, Frank Fruin, John Prendergast, George Ludwig, V. Brown, C. J. Roger, J. G. Lenbarth, Hebert Keller, Al Schryber, Luther Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Anderson of Normandy, and their son, Donald Anderson, who have been in Palm Beach for the past month, have returned. They were with a party of friends from Kansas City. Mr. Anderson and his son are golf enthusiasts and were much of the time on the links.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Liedeman of 5932 Waterman avenue will be at home next Sunday from 2 to 5 in the afternoon and 7 to 11 in the evening in honor of the confirmation of their son, Sidney Liedeman.

Miss Irma Hassendeubel of 2706 Wyoming street celebrated her 21st birthday with a spider web party on the evening of Feb. 26.

Among those present were: Misses Hazel Schira, Lilly Nabbefeld, Lilly Geimer, Olivia Schenk, Adele Stade, Flora Gishel, Ida Frieburg, Emma Lohrer, Elsie Koch, Clara Koch, Clara Andreas, Clara Thoma, Lulu Andreas and Edith Smith.

Messrs. Samuel Carter, Harry Mewes, Walter Wist, Clay Miller, Walter Olde, William Kuene, Billy Harnacke, Max Grueb, Roy Mosner, Emil Hirth, Will Sandberg, Eugene Flachmeier, Jack Ostermueller, Evert Courtois, Walter Erman, George Nuelle, Henry Nuelle, Edgar Schoenig Sigmund Gucker, Oswald Padrutt and Edgar Zimmer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Schueman, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Vierheller and Mr. and Mrs H. A. Kanzler of East St. Louis.

Miss Laura Mae Strout celebrated her sixteenth birthday on the afternoon of Feb. 26 at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Laura W. Call, 1631 North Leffingwell.

The guests were Miss Fern Norris, Cecelia McTigue, Jessie Reynolds, Lynn Baldwin, Naomi Williams, Laura Strout, Irene Call and Mrs. Laura Call.

The Confederate Dames Chapter U. D. C. will hold their regular monthly meeting at the Washington Hotel tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Robert N. Warmack of 4950 Lindell boulevard, her daughter, Miss Annie Lourie Warmack, and Miss Marian Bond are among the St. Louisans at Palm Beach, Fla. Miss Bond and Miss Warmack are two of the most popular girls in the social set.

CIVIC LEAGUE TO HEAR F. C. HOWE

Nominations Also Will Be Reported at Annual Meeting, March 15.

Plans for the Civic League's annual meeting and dinner at the City Club, March 15, at 7 P. M. were completed yesterday. Frederick C. Howe, Commissioner of Immigration at Ellis Island and an authority on city government will be the principal speaker.

One of the purposes of the meeting will be to hear a report of the nominating committee on the election of officers for 1916. The terms of the following members of the Executive Board expires this year: J. Lionberger Davis, Mrs. Philip N. Moore, A. H. Reller, Paul J. Wielandy, Edward Hidden and Clifford B. Allen, who resigned and whose place is to be filled for a two-year term. The nominating committee has submitted the following names to fill their places, (six to be selected): George Oliver Carpenter, Jr., Hanford Crawford, Francis M. Curlee, Dwight F. Davis, Wilbur B. Jones, Dr. R. Emmet Kane, Mrs. Philip N. Moore, Miss Charlotte Rumbold, Mrs. Eugene T. Senseney, Paul J. Wielandy and Wm. F. Woerner. Five will be selected for a three-year term and one for a one-year term.

The Nominating Committee has also asked for suggestions for president. Although the power of choosing the president and other officers rests with the Executive Board, the preference expressed by members has always governed its action.

Monroe Clothes Shop Opens.

The latest spring styles for men at a minimum fixed price were shown yesterday at the opening of the new Monroe $15 Clothes Shop on the second floor at 610 Olive street. Judging from the attendance of men and young men the new venture promises to be a pronounced success.

This new store caters to the patronage of those who have been accustomed to paying at least $25 for their clothing, and it offers the same style and quality at $15.

Four St. Louis men conduct the store. They are W. G. Walker, W. S. Harris, T. R. Durning and J. A. Gutweiler. All are well known in the retail clothing business. They believe that with its one-price policy the Monroe Clothes Shop will prove popular with the good dressers of St. Louis.

Files for Vice Presidency in Iowa.

DES MOINES, Io., March 4.—William Grant Webster, Chicago lawyer, today filed with the Secretary of State his petition to have his name placed on the Republican ballot as a candidate for Vice President of the United States. Secretary of State Stevenson of Illinois declined to accept Webster's petition as a Republican candidate for President on the ground that it was not in legal form.

Last year the Post-Dispatch printed 15,038 Musical Want Ads, 1006 more than appeared in the four other St. Louis newspapers during the same period.

KAISER'S VILLA IN CORFU WAS BUILT AT COST OF $15,000,000

He Acquired It From Emperor Francis Joseph for $350,000; Now Servian Hospital.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

ATHENS, Feb. 10.—The German Emperor's villa Achilleion, in Corfu, which is to serve as a hospital for Servian wounded under the care of a staff of British doctors and nurses, was built by the Empress Elizabeth of Austria at a cost of $15,000,000. The German Emperor acquired it from Emperor Francis-Joseph for $350,000.

The Empress Elizabeth, in the course of her almost ceaseless wanderings, found temporary peace in Corfu, which she called the "fairest of earth's islands," and the villa was erected under her personal supervision. It is superbly situated above the azure Ionian Sea, amid jungles of ever-blooming roses, palms and native and tropical trees, and many of its 128 rooms are splendid examples of decoration in the Pompeian and Byzantine styles, the chapel being especially remarkable.

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Style Week Opens in St. Louis Stores Tomorrow

Merchants Unite This Year in Making Simultaneous Announcements



Extremes in Colors and Fashions to Be Feature of All Gowns and Hats

Bakst Is to Be Authority in Shades and Some Funny Effects Will Result Unless Women Make Their Selections Carefully.

THE department stores and specialty shops in St. Louis will not have their usual series of spring openings this year. Instead, all will combine in one simultaneous opening, conducted individually, which they will call Style Week, and which is in reality an exposition of the newest ideas in fashions in all lines of apparel both for women and men. Style Week will open tomorrow and will continue through the week, and the showings of the week will be the theme from which the big style symphony of the spring and summer in St. Louis will be developed.

Extremes, not contrasts, will be the dominant note in this display. The colors are very soft or very loud, very high or very low, very somber or very vivid. There is no meeting of the extremes. The lines are absolutely straight or extremely curved. There is no waistline at all, or there is a well-defined waist-line. The hats are very high, or flat, as the proverbial pancake. They are tiny and close fitting, or veritable cartwheels. The shoes are pumps or 16-inch boots. The sleeves are very long or very short. And the costumes are severely plain or decidedly ornate.

No Season for Mediocrity.

A close study of the entire subject as found in the shops here develops this general analysis. The season just opening will be one in which mediocrity has no place. With the color schemes and fashion lines now presented every woman and every man will be garbed extremely well or very badly, and that regardless of the cost of the garments. The designers of the modes this year seem to have relied greatly upon the good taste of the public because such a wide latitude in effects is allowed that the success of almost all ideas rests with the wearers thereof, and unless the women of fashion study the subject rather more carefully than usual some queer costumes will be the result.

In the matter of street clothes, for example, one must be very careful. The city has gone forth that Bakst, not Callot or Georgette or Joseph or Paul Poiret, is THE authority in color. This is true to a great extent in indoor gowns, dancing frocks, sport clothes, but absolutely not true in street garments, and that will be one of the reasons for sartorial shipwreck for the woman who doesn't study her wardrobe. All street clothes this season are somber. Black, blue, brown, French gray are the best colors, and no touch of higher color is seen on any of the best models. The suits are rather plain in design, with distinctive features in the cut of the sleeve or the shape of the collar. Some have butcher cuffs of coarse unbleached linen and flaring collar to match, and a few have trimmings of white or buff broadcloth and dozens of buttons.

Broadcloth and taffeta are a popular combination for the season's best street suits. Sometimes the two materials are combined as applique, but more often in more decided effects as in the suit mentioned above.

The coats as a rule are medium length and cut with a flare and rather severe in their lines. The skirts are ample in width without the appearance of fullness, being circular or with the needed fullness arranged in shirring or under plaits on the hips. The authoritative answer to the question as to length is as short as looks well on the figure, up to 10 inches, but no shorter.

Silk Afternoon Suits.

As a contrast in design, though not in color effects, are the more dressy silk suits for afternoon wear. These have very full skirts, three-quarter flaring coats confined at the waistline by trimming usually of folds of the silk, and are semi-fitting in cut. All have high and wide collars open at the throat, and some have short straight tie ends of the silk finished with balls or short tassels. Dull cadet blue, ashes of roses, blue-A, smoke and vapor gray are the favorite colors for silk suits, though several very smart ones are all white brocade. Pussy willow and Swiss taffeta are the best materials for this use, with faille and brocade coming second in popularity.

A wonderful Georgette model is of ashes of roses pussy willow silk, heavily embroidered in silk and chenille. The design is conventionalized wheat, the beards done in sapphire blue chenille and the rest in silk of the shade of the foundation. Another extremely smart suit is of ivory white soft satin brocaded in a cherry design. This has a severely plain half circular skirt, a semi-fitting coat with ripply "tail," and a straight small sailor collar embroidered in cherries in the natural colors.

If the suits are neutral tinted the rest of a woman's wardrobe this spring and summer of 1916 is not. Clothes for every other sort of wear may best be described as a New York musical critic described one of the Bakst settings of the Ballet Russe. He said when the curtain went up and revealed that riot of purple and red and orange and gold he felt as if he had been slapped in the face with a raw beefsteak. There is absolutely no rhyme nor reason for some of the color combinations that are the vogue this season except the fad created by Bakst designs. All the laws of art and science seem to be defied, but much to the surprise of everyone, this defiance produces a decidedly pleasing, though equally decidedly startling, effect. Everything "goes" in combining colors, and if the two shades "swear at" each other the designer says let them swear, but veil their profanity with another equally vividly colored diaphanous fabric, thereby producing the appearance of harmony. And oddly enough the scheme does the trick and the effect is good.

Unique Dancing Frock.

A vivid green taffeta dancing frock, for example, with a broad ring of bright yellow daisies woven through the middle of the silk so it comes about at the knees of the wearer has a red bronze belt and tassel. This would look like a Bakst poster but for the quaint little cream lace berthe that drapes the tight straight bodice. This berthe—one of the newest notes in the way of revival of old ideas, by the way—is of the daintiest and filmiest of all-over lace, ruffled by hand with half-inch real Valenciennes, and it softens the shrieks of the rest of the gown to a quiet little murmur.

An exquisite effect produced in the same way has a foundation of silver cloth, several skirts, one on top of the other, of chiffon cloth in shades of yellow and pink, and a final draping of lami lace—the new combination of gold and linen in laces—with a girdle of pink and green. This is a dancing gown shown in one of the best shops and is probably the most expensive gown of the kind on display this week.

Simplicity, the keynote of the street clothes, is, like their somberness, absolutely lacking in afternoon and evening garments. All designs are highly ornate, either in their cut or their trimming, or their combinations of material as well as colors. An entire gown of one or even two materials is unknown this spring. Organdie frocks have silk basques. Georgette gowns are ornamented with ruchings of frayed satin or taffeta. Heavy metal lace trims fragile tulle. Many frocks have the skirt of one fabric and the waist of another, giving the appearance of a separate skirt and blouse. A pretty illustration of this last is a pink and white plaid Swiss tafefta skirt and lace waist. The skirt is made slightly pointed back and front, the sides being quite two inches shorter than the rest of the skirt, and it has wide bias folds set on like tucks around the middle of the skirt following the floor line. The bodice is perfectly plain except for a milliner's fold of cream satin outlining the slightly V neck and finishing the long straight sleeves. The two are connected with a broad "made" sash of the plaid tied in a straight-up bow at the left side of the front.

Much Trimming on Skirts.

A feature of this season's gowns is the ornamentation of the skirts. Practically all the trimming of the gown is on the skirt. Bouffant sides and back are quite frequent, the latter being developed in a few models into a real bustle effect, and the skirt with a regular edge or with all four sides alike is the exception. A return to the bayardiere stripes of two decades ago is noticeable, this idea being sometimes carried out in ruffings and the old-fashioned silk ruchings on thin fabrics such as chiffon and Georgette.

This is the first season in many years when no period, or no personage has formed the basis of the prevailing mode. It is due, in large measure, to the European war. Paris designers have not given very great effort to creating new styles, and American designers have not done good team work in establishing a foundation upon which to build for the season. That is one of the reasons why such striking contrasts are seen, and it is a reason for the great variety in color or effects. The styles range from early Victorian to present day Bulgarian and Russian, with all the gradations of time and country between the two.

Fabrics as well as colors and designs follow this hit-or-miss plan, and the result will be a season absolutely devoid of sameness in dress. Some of the new fabrics are chatadeaux, a combination of Georgette and uncut velvet; Guernsey and La Jeuse, both new names for the old wool jersey cloth; Khaki-kool, a smooth Rajah silk; peau de chamois, and wool velour. New colors are notable chiefly for their absence because, for all its colorfulness, this season is developing nothing new in the art of dyeing. There is one pastel shade that has a pleasing novelty and the pretty name of cyclamen pink. Old blue has changed into blue-A, while emerald green is now Nagasak green. Coral is the coral of five years ago, and church purple was called bishop's purple until this year.

Striking Sport Clothes.

Nothing is so striking in this year's styles as the sport clothes. The demand for garments suitable for every form of outdoor pastime is greater than it ever has been in America, dealers say, and costumers have taken the business of supplying this demand altogether out of the hands of the sporting goods makers. Sport clothes are as elaborate in the matter of color and material as any other portion of a woman's wardrobe, and despite the restrictions imposed by the uses for which they are intended, are almost as ornate in design. One shop is showing a country club suit of rose and navy striped faille made by the best New York tailor, and another shop has an exclusive model in a pantalon tennis costume of tussar silk that is quite the most stunning thing of its kind ever displayed in St. Louis. This costume has real trousers covered by an overskirt slit at the sides to give perfect freedom of movement.

Bathing suits, some made for swimming and some not intended for the water at all, are in all colors and excellent designs. All are of taffeta or faille, and they range in price from $40 to $100.

Knit fabrics, like Guernsey cloth, are favorite materials for sport coats at present, an outgrowth of the silk sweaters of last summer. These coats frequently are white with broad borders of a very gay color such as red or purple, and the same material in plaids or checks also is fashioned into a Norfolk suit of skirt and jacket.

Sport hats are suede, felt and quilted silk or cretonne. The quilted hats are extremely odd, and probably will not be very popular. An offshoot of the sport hat is the so-called beach hat of India straw ornamented with little china butterflies, with a hat-basket to match which is intended as a work bag. Another oddity in the same line is a garden set of hat, jacket and bag of burlap piped with India crepe in red, green and blue stripes.

White Shoes to Predominate.

Sport shoes still follow the useful lines in cut, but not in material, and white is the favorite color.

Dealers here say the demand for good sport clothes is due to the war, which keeps Americans at home and forces them to seek amusement in outdoor pastimes instead of sea travel.

This season's millinery is a subject by itself. It may best be described as everything. The leading milliners find it impossible to say that one thing is good and another is not, because all designs, all shapes, all colors and all kinds are in vogue. The only limitations, apparently, are in the between features. This season's hat may go as far in either direction as it likes, but it must not stop in the middle of the two extremes if it hopes to be good style.

There are some new shapes, and some novelties in trimmings, notably paper taffeta ribbon and Talbot ribbon and lace. The former is ribbon that stands up without wiring, and the latter is waxed galloon. Glace effects are popular both in the hat itself and in the trimming. Much lacquered folia— is used, and there is a new hat material called cellophane which comes in tailored hats. This is highly irridescent as well as glistening, and will be very good with the severe tailored street clothes.

Fruits especially cherries, will have a great vogue this spring, but probably will be replaced with flowers later in the season. Nothing in the way of feathers except tiny ostrich tips, an occasional quill, or a bit of gourah will be worn on this year's hats, and milliners here predict that even these will disappear before June. Made hats of Georgette and various fancy braids are popular now, but will be less so as the season advances. This is decidedly a ribbon year for hat trimming. More ribbon is used this season than for the last five seasons altogether, trimmers say. Every width from half an inch to half a yard comes into the design of the season's millinery, and one novelty, a fringed narrow ribbon, takes the place of braid in making the hat itself.

There is not near the variety in foot wear shown this season as formerly, and the tendency is for conservative rather than startling effects. Practically all street shoes are nine and ten inches high, and buttons are being almost entirely replaced with lacings. High heels are the rule and they are of a modified "hourglass" shape. Dull leathers predominate for street wear, and gold and silver cloth for evening slippers. White uppers to the boots or white spats are greatly in demand, but shoe men here predict a gradual decline of the spat as the season advances.

White shoes for all outing and sport wear eclipse colors. Colors for other shoes are a blend rather than a match for the gown, this dictum of fashion being due to the difficulty in getting dye blends for the kids, so that all shades can be perfectly matched. Plain kid colonial pumps lead all styles in half shoes.

There is little change in glove styles since last season, and while a few novelties are being shown, the general display is the same as for the last two months. Kid gloves will give way to silk in another two months, it is predicted, and chamoisette and other cotton fabric gloves will be scarce owing to the impossibility of obtaining the fabric from Germany. Heavy stitching of a contrasting color is popular on light and white gloves for dress wear, but walking gloves are of the conservative red-brown tones in heavy kid with "pinch" stitching of the same shade.

Neckwear this season is like the millinery—everything. Women cannot go far wrong in buying almost anything their fancy dictates, though the strongest tendency is to plainer styles and open throats.

In the matter of men's styles conservatism rules supreme—in St. Louis. Extreme cuts and extreme fabrics never are popular with men of this city and this season is no exception to the preceding ones. Novelties are appearing, but they lie chiefly in the neckwear and socks. The only tendency to colorfulness is in this respect. Bakst influence is seen here, and in the fact that bow ties are more popular than the four-in-hand.

Colors for the spring and summer are dark blue, dark gray and white. Flannels are the favorite materials. Patch pockets appear on even the conservative modes, and Norfolk backs for young men will be good this season. Silk is more than ever the favorite material for all shirts except those for evening, and stiff pique has entirely replaced the mushroom style for evening wear. Hats for the spring are soft, with low crowns and wide brims. Straw styles are not yet in the St. Louis shops.

Afternoon and evening fashions remain practically unchanged from the winter, and St. Louis men are manifesting no interest at all in either line at present.

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YOU know the style is correct. You know it fits. You know the pattern and coloring are in the latest vogue. You know that it is made of first-class materials and in thoroughly workmanlike fashion — outside — inside — and between. You know that it will give you good service and look well as long as you wear it. And you know it doesn't cost you too much.

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What the Former War Secretaries Say of Preparedness

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an insurrection. Upon a force of unpaid citizens, with deadly weapons in their hands, is thrown a duty which could better be performed by a policeman and a club.

On the other hand, throughout the nation at large there has grown up among our laboring classes a feeling that our citizen soldiers represent a different class of the community and are being maintained for the purpose of being used against labor. Instead of regarding the militiaman as a citizen training to perform his duty of defending the country in case of real war, the labor man has come to regard him as a representative of capital being trained as a policeman against labor. Thus, throughout great sections of the country there has developed an unwillingness to undergo any military training whatever on the part of the very people who have most to gain from such training and upon whom the country should most rely for its citizen soldiers.

Seventh. The militia proposition does not reach this fundamental defect in the militia system, and so long as the defect remains it has been already demonstrated that financial encouragement will not produce the 400,000 more men whom we require. The only way in which the defect can be remedied is to turn the militia completely over to the National Government and to leave no authority over them whatever in the states.

Mr. Garrison's plan provided that the national guard could be so transferred to the National Government. That is the only kind of "federalization" which will be effective. The "partial federalization" suggested by the national guard which still leaves the militia a state force, will be wholly ineffective to meet the difficulty above mentioned and to furnish the men whom we require.

Eighth. Furthermore, so long as the national guard remains a militia it is impossible, under the Federal Constitution, to give the National Government the power of control and discipline necessary to make the national guard an effective military force. So long as it remains a militia the states, under the Federal Constitution, retain "the appointment of the officers and the authority of training the militia."

The President's authority as commander in chief begins only when the militia is called into active service of the United States. This means that no matter what well-meaning statutes are passed by the Congress providing for the qualifications of officers and men and standards of training, the application of these statutes must remain in the hands of the local or state authorities. This results, necessarily, in 48 different standards of discipline and effectiveness—something that is absolutely destructive of the efficiency of a national army.

Ninth. Finally, to introduce a system of individual pay among our citizen soldiery would, in my opinion, be not only destructive of the sentiment of patriotism, upon which all other countries depend in the last event for the raising of their forces of citizen soldiery, but it would be especially disastrous in our country under our loose financial system. It would introduce a new vested interest into our already overworked pork barrel; it would thrust the national guard into politics.

There would be a national guard vote interested in the Federal treasury. It would, thus, give rise to a number of insidious and vicious evils which were, in fact, most eloquently pointed out in the minority report of this subject to the Sixty-second Congress, 3d session, signed by Mr. Slayden, and participated in by Mr. Hay, the chairman of the House Military Committee, which committee is said to be supporting the present militia paybill. I command your attention to the strength of that document, House of the Representatives, Report 1117, part two, Sixty-second Congress, third session.

Very few of our wars have been defensive wars.

"The Monroe Doctrine, our Pan-American alliance, the question of the open door in China, protection of the Panama Canal and dependencies, may bring trouble at any time.

"The Japanese are a proud and sensitive people. Exclusion is offensive to them. The Monroe Doctrine involves us in responsibilities which may lead us into defensive or aggressive war.

"Perhaps we have leaned unconsciously on England to be our friend. And she has been our friend. But we have no right to assume that she will always be our friend. Blood is thicker than water, but the ruling force behind every civilized Government is selfishness more or less intelligent. Our English cousin is not much unlike us. If there is anything that will make him combative it is to fool with his trade. The real motive that drove a reluctant people into a doubtful war was the fact that England's trade supremacy was jeopardized by Germany's rivalry. We of the United States in the Revolution went to war for trade.

Trade Causes the Bitterest Wars.

"Now the point is that up to 15 years ago we were busy developing our resources. That absorbed all our energies. Now we produce more than we consume. We have built the Panama Canal. We demand the open door in China. We have taken islands as naval bases. Why? Because we want foreign trade.

"Do you suppose that when this war is over England, Germany and France will not try to reclaim the trade tem-

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DELAY INVITES DISASTER, SAYS LUKE E. WRIGHT

Army Training for Every Physically Fit Young American Will Make Him a Better Citizen.

LUKE E. WRIGHT, Secretary of War in President Roosevelt's Cabinet, who has been in St. Louis attending the preparedness conference, said to a Post-Dispatch reporter at the Odeon Friday night:

"The problem which confronts the United States is the most momentous the people have been called upon to face since the Civil War. That war determined whether we should be divided or united. This question relates to our security, progress and future as a nation, our national existence.

"I am not hysterical about the matter. There is no reason to be unduly excited. But there is every reason to be seriously concerned about the situation. It may be said that no war threatens us now. That is true. There is at this time no danger of foreign invasion, but we cannot say that there will be no such danger in the future. If invasion was threatened now I would be more than concerned. I would be panicstricken and hopeless. All this pacifist talk about Americans' ability to fight a foreign enemy with their hands is balderdash.

"The leading peace protagonist quotes the sermon on the Mount to prove that war is immoral and wrong. No doubt the Savior was raising a standard he hoped all men would aspire to, but he knew his utterances would not end war. We have had war ever since he spoke from the mountain side.

Peril of Man Who Won't Fight.

"If we are a nation of noncombatants, that is one thing in which we might imitate China, but it is not safe. The man who holds himself out as unwilling to fight is always being kicked. The American people are not noncombatant.

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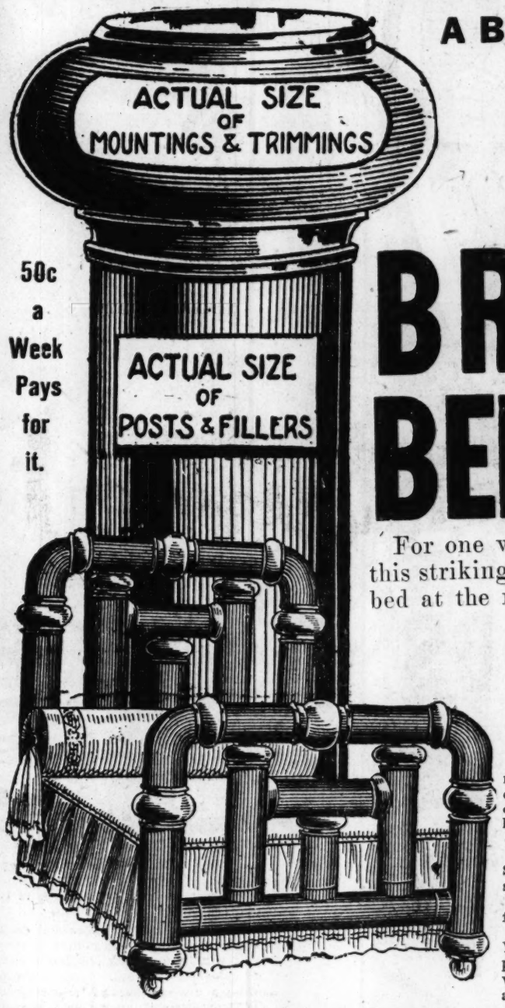
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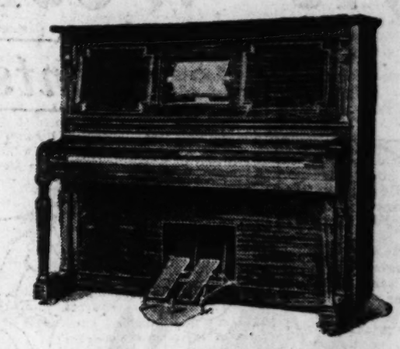
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The Doctor's Advice

by Dr. Lewis Baker

The questions answered below are general in character, the symptoms or diseases are given and the answers will apply in any case of similar nature.

Those wishing further advice, free, may address .Dr Lewis Baker, College Bldg., College-Ellwood Sts., Dayton, O., enclosing self-addressed stamped envelope for reply. Full name and address must be given, but only initials or fictitious name will be used in my answers. The prescriptions can be filled at any well-stocked drug store. Any druggist can order of wholesaler.

"Traveling Man" writes: "I'm not now

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the man I was a year ago. I've lost my ambition and vitality. I'm unfit for work and pleasure, and find the social and business demands I once enjoyed are now irksome to me. I seem to have lost my lease on life. I'm only 35; surely I'm not getting old. I feel bored and mortified at times, and worry and fret without cause."

Answer: Your symptoms indicate wasted nerve forces and a general run-down condition. You will find just the tonic, stimulant and builder you require in three-grain cadomene tablets. Thousands in your condition have been benefited by them.

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"Careless" writes: "I have not been careful with my health, and as a result I am now suffering from a very bad case of impure blood. I have not consulted a physician in regard to my condition. I have pains in my head and feel tired and afraid."

Answer: Your condition is not uncommon. I would suggest the immediate use of Elixir Chin-cea compound. This will act as a stimulating tonic to the system, and at the same time drive the disease out of the blood. It is the greatest alternative I have ever used in my practice. Obtain from druggist in eight-ounce sealed package with full directions.

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"Friend writes: "I have recently had terrible rheumatism all the time. Please advise me what to take."

Answer: For your rheumatism I recommend the following treatment: 3 drams of iodide of potassium, 4 drams sodium salicylate, ¼ oz. wine of colchicum, 1 oz. comp. essence cardiol, 1 oz. comp. Guild balmwort and 5 ozs. syrup sarsaparilla comp. Mix and take a teaspoonful at meal time and again before going to bed. You should get good results from this prescription and permanent relief.

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"Jessie" asks: "What may I do for a bad cold? I think I have LaGrippe as I seem to ache all over. I cough and my throat is sore."

Answer: Your system is full of cold inflammation which causes the aching. You need a good laxative cough and cold medicine. This you will find in a syrup made from 2½ ozs. of the essence menthoxalene mixed with one pint of simple sugar syrup or honey. It should open up the air passages, ease the inflamed membranes and relieve the cough.—ADVERTISEMENT.

"Undersized" writes: "How may I safely increase my strength and weight?"

Answer: The best thing I could suggest to increase your strength and add to your weight several pounds of good, healthy flesh is the use of three-grain hyponuclane tablets. These tablets taken with your meals cause proper assimilation of the food, and in a short time you should increase in weight as many pounds as you wish.

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"Traveler" says: "Since I had lagrippe this winter I am bothered with pains in my back and chills and fever. I am told that I have kidney trouble."

Answer: Your kidneys are possibly congested and inflamed. If you have headache, chills and fever and pains in the back, you need a good kidney medicine. Another symptom is scant, puffiness under the eyes and swollen ankles. I always prescribe balmwort tablets and they give perfect satisfaction.

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"Mrs. L." writes: "My blood is in bad condition. I am nervous and constipated. I always feel tired, but when night comes I cannot sleep. Have chills and fever."

Answer: The best thing I could prescribe for your condition would be three-grain sulpherb tablets (not sulphur). They relieve constipation, aid digestion and purify the blood.

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"Hair Dresser" asks: "What harmless tonic may I use to promote hair growth and relieve the scalp of itching and dandruff."

Answer: Secure a jar of plain yellow mirvol and apply to the scalp after washing the hair. Rub in well and rinse out thoroughly. You will find this a most successful dandruff remedy and scalp vitalizer.

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"Too Stout" writes: "I travel and I'm so fat I seem in my own way. Would like to reduce safely, 20 to 30 pounds.

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porarily lost in Central and South America and Asia? If you do, you know little of human nature.

"Trade wars are the most frequent and acrimonius of all wars. Secretary Redfield thinks that after the war such quantities of foreign goods will be dumped on our shores as will necessitate discriminatory duties. Does anybody doubt that out of that may come war. If we are defenseless, yes. If we are prepared to take care of ourselves, no.

"There is no difference of opinion among intelligent American citizens about the need of preparedness. The only question is what sort of preparedness. The navy is the first line of defense. We have seen an example of what war means now when a nation cannot take its own time to get ready to fight. To wait is to assure disaster.

How We Would Prepare.

How can we prepare against invasion? The navy is inadequate and badly balanced. It takes time to build a navy. It will take us five years to be the third largest. Many things may happen in five years. The wise man prepares against any antagonist. The unwise confides in every man's goodwill.

The only way to prepare an army is to go to the root and train our young men for military service. I understand how the President feels embarrassed, because this reverses our traditional thought. We have exalted the volunteer and made a fetish of him. We must reverse our method of thinking. If every one shoulders an equal share of the burden we are put in a position to take care of ourselves under all circumstances. Nothing would do so much to solidify our people as universal service with the colors. Nothing would tend so much to bring all the people together. My deliberate belief is that six or 12 months with the colors would make our young men better physically and prolong life. They would learn to take care of their bodies. They would learn discipline and respect for authority, which our youth so woefully need. It would bridge the widening gulf between the rich and the poor. There would be more of mutual understanding and respect.

"I am not afraid of the man on horseback. He only comes when the people want him."

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Easily Prepared in a Few Minutes. Cheap, but Unequaled.

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Get 2½ ounces Pinex (50 cents worth) from any druggist, pour into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. Start taking it at once.

This Pinex and Sugar Syrup mixture makes a full pint—enough to last a family a long time—at a cost of only 54 cents. Keeps perfectly and tastes pleasant. Easily prepared.

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Canadian Air Scout Tells of Hazards of Wartime Flying

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Some of the others are going across this afternoon, so you won't get lost if you follow them. Top o' the luck to you, old Toronto."

Half a dozen machines went sailing over the water, 5000 feet high, that spring morning, doing a leisurely 60 miles an hour and spaced as evenly as a squadron of battleships in parade formation. Before Boyd realized it, the leaders were circling about and descending toward an immense open space in front of a long row of hangars at Dunkirk. The boy from Canada was in the war at last.

"It wasn't long after that before I got into my first scrap," Boyd said. "I never will forget that, for I made a bally fool out of myself and was mighty glad to get back alive to the station. I had a pretty good machine, a Moran monoplane equipped with a machine gun, and an old chap called Gott, a Sergeant, went up with me and sat in the gun seat. I was wild to see the German lines.

"'Go and take a look at them,' the C. O. (commanding officer) said, 'but don't cross, or you'll probably get jolly well peppered. Those "Archies" (anti-aircraft guns) can shoot pretty far and pretty straight, you know.'

Promised to Be Careful.

"I promised to be careful and up we went. At about 8000 feet I headed her for the German trenches, and in a few minutes we were right over them. Old Gott gave me a nudge then, and right ahead of us, a few miles off, I saw two German Albatross machines coming right for us. Old Gott and I had our telephones on and he said: "What about it, Lieutenant?"

"'What do you say if we let 'em have a bit?' I asked him.

"'Right-o, sir,' said Gott. He was a game chap, that old fellow, and he'd been in many a scrap. I often wonder whether he's still all right. Well, he had a belt of cartridges on the gun, and he got ready to spin 'em out. I stuck the nose of the old bus up in the air and tried to get on top of the Germans. My machine was a better climber than theirs, and so when we passed I was a couple of hundred feet higher. Old Gott pointed the gun at them and kept working the trigger. I could see the flames shooting out of the muzzle. But the Bosches were pretty busy, too. I caught sight of their gunmen working away with their quick-firers as we passed. With the rush of air it was impossible to feel the whiz of any of their bullets; but I knew jolly well that they were pretty close to us, and we found later a lot of holes in our wings.

"Well, all of us wheeled, and at it we went again. Gott put on another belt of cartridges and let 'em have it. As we passed the second time one of the Albatrosses dropped a couple of hundred feet. I though that Gott had winged the pilot, but it must have been only an airhole they struck, for they straightened out and went on.

"They're speedy beggars, those Albatrosses. By the time I got turned again and straightened out they were half a mile or so off and driving like the devil over their own country—running away from us.

Led Into a Clever Trap.

"Let's go after them and give 'em what—for, Gott!" I said. 'Very good, sir,' he answered. So after them we went. I gave the old bus all she had, but I couldn't overtake the Albatrosses, nor even get near enough to have another shot at them. Mile after mile we drove until, finally, we came to a town—Ghent is must have been—and I thought it was about time to start back. We were only about 6000 feet high.

"All of a sudden there was a little white cloud directly in front of us, a few hundreds yards off. We plunged right through it, and I got a sniff of some strong acid-like odor. Then little white clouds began to appear at our sides, and below us and above us. Gott pointed upward and I made the machine climb as hard as she could without standing right on our tail.

"I realized then that the Albatrosses had purposely run away from us to lead us into a trap. They had led us right over a long line of 'Archies.'

Peppered by Aircraft Guns.

"Well, there we were, 20 miles or so from home, with every anti-aircraft gun the Germans had peppering away at us. We certainly made a race for it. There was no use circling around and climbing. The only thing to do was to go up as best we could while driving straight ahead, and trust to luck. To get home was the one thing we wanted.

"It took us perhaps 14 or 15 minutes to do the twenty-odd miles. And in every mile of that distance there were at least two or three Archies letting drive at us. A couple of minor wires were struck, and old Gott had his clothes torn by a bit of shell. I didn't get hit. But it sure was a hot dash for home, and we were a couple of lucky chaps to get there. I got an awful ragging from the C. O. for being such a fool. Never again did I drive over the German territory so close to the earth as 8000 feet."

Boyd did week after week of scout work, driving over Belgium with observers who noted the movemet of German troops from place to place, or took photographs of the trenches and the fortifications back of them, or plotted out the exact location of supply stations and the like, for the purpose of bombing them later.

"That's a snappy sport—bombing" he said. 'But you've got to watch your step, as you say in the States. You musn't forget to let go all of your bombs before you come down, or you'll be smashed up yourself. I knew one poor chap who made a landing with two bombs he'd forgotten to drop. That was the end of him and his machine. There wasn't much left of either."

His Big Adventure.

It was on a bombing expedition that Boydie met his big adventure—the one that landed him in this country, technically a prisoner.

"It was on Oct. 3," he explained. "Three set out with orders to let go a few T—N—T's on some hangars and supply sheds the Germans had at Zeebrugge, some 40 odd miles up the coast from our station at Dunkirk. Each of us had six 75-pound bombs under the body of our machine. Pretty deadly things, those 75-pounders. They'll make quite a smash. Then I had a dozen or

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What Causes Tuberculosis?

In the opinion of many medical authorities, tuberculosis is aided, if not actually caused, by a loss of lime from the system. "Where there is a decalcification, the lime salts must be supplied medicinally," says Dr. J. W Carhart of San Antonio in the May, 1913, issue of "Medical Progress."

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more little hand-bombs, five or six-pounders. They're nasty little beggars, too. You don't want to be too close to the spot where they land.

"We got away in the dark, about 4 o'clock, and, back of our own lines, climbed until we were about 10,000 feet up. Then we headed up the coast and got over the town of Zeebrugge just as daylight was appearing. We located the sheds we wanted, and one after the other of us let go at them. It's a great thing to pull your lever, let the old bomb go whizzing down for nearly two miles, and then wheel around and wait to see what she'll do when she hits. Of course, you can't hear anything, but you see a puff, - burst of earth, and, if you're lucky, maybe you'll see a building go to smash.

"Well, it didn't take long for them to know that we were over them, and they began to let drive with their Archies. The shells began to burst pretty close to my old R. E. P.—a fast, single-passenger monoplane I was driving that day—but I stick around and let drop all six T-N-T's and hand-bombs. I was separated from the other chaps by this time, and didn't see them, in fact.

"I heard in a roundabout way afterward that one of my bombs killed 14 men and four horses. I don't know whether that's true or not. The story had it that several of the men killed were Belgians. I hope that part of it's wrong. But that's the luck of the game.

Propeller of His Machine Smashed.

"Pretty soon a bomb bullet burst only a couple of hundred feet away from me, and right on my level, although my gauge showed me that I was pretty close to 11,000 feet. I said to myself: 'You'd best stick her nose up, Boydie, or they'll get you.' These Archies must be new ones, for they're throwing steel higher than any I ever saw before. So I climbed and climbed, circling around until I was a few hundred feet over 12,000. There I felt absolutely safe, and began to look around to see where I was. I had passed completely over Zeebrugge and was pretty well up the coast toward a sort of strait. I thought I'd best turn around and make back for home while the making was good. So I wheeled and began to thing about breakfast. The only thing in my mind at the moment was that I was hungry.

"The next thing I knew there was a blinding smash right in front of me. I realized two things—that my propeller was gone and that I was falling like a stone. They'd got me at last. I didn't know whether I'd been hit anywhere or not. I just gave everything up and began to see pretty little pictures of Toronto and New York and my girl in Cleveland, and all that sort of thing. Believe me, I was a scared Canadian. It looked like curtains for J. Errol Dunston Boyd.

"But—you know how it is; if a fellow falls into the water he tries to swim anyhow, even if he can't. He does something instinctively to help himself. So I kept on trying, working my levers without half knowing what I was doing.

"You've seen that 'falling leaf' stunt that the trick flyers do, haven't you—where the machine just flops from side to side as it comes down, swinging this way and then the other way? Well, that's what my old R. E. P. was doing. Then she'd loop. Some chaps who saw me coming down said she looped nine or ten times. I'd looped before, but never involuntarily. I was strapped in, of course, or I'd have beaten the old bus down to the ground.

Soldiers in Gray.

"I don't know how long it takes to drop 12,000 feet. The scientists can figure it out. But, believe me, it doesn't take very long. I was in a sort of a daze from the time I was struck, but it seemed only a couple of seconds before I saw the ground right under me, and—I couldn't believe it then—I was right side up and on a decent angle for landing. I lifted her nose a little bit just before striking, and, so help me, Bob, I got her on the ground with scarcely a bump.

"About a quarter of a mile off were a lot of soldiers in gray uniforms. They began to run toward me. 'Well, I'll give you German beggars a little row before you stick me in one of your filthy prison camps,' I said to myself. As soon as I got the old bus to a standstill I unstrapped myself and jumped out. When the graybacks got within a 100 yards of me I let drive at them with my service revolver. I slammed all seven shots at 'em, but missed.

"I must have been a bit balmy in the bean, for I didn't notice that they weren't firing at me. Then I did a nutty stunt. You know we carry 'light pistols.' They're things that you use to shoot colored balls of fire with at night, for signalling purposes, when you're going to land, and all that. It happened that I grabbed my light pistol as I jumped out of the seat, so I thought, 'I'll give you this, too, you dirty Bosches!' And I shot half a dozen beautiful balls of fire at them. I was raging mad.

Subdued After "a Little Mix-Up."

"Then they surrounded me. I'm pretty husky, you see. I'll go 180 pounds, and at that time I was hard as nails; so a couple of them, you can bet, took some good wallops before a dozen or so piled on top of me and pinned me down. They began shouting things at me in some language that I didn't understand.

"Finally one of them said in English: 'We're not your enemies. We're not Germans. This is Holland and we're Dutchmen.'

"Only then did I stop scrapping with them. They let me up and stood around me with their bayonets ready to give me a jab in case I started anything more. It was some little time before I was able to stop puffing and give a look around at the scenery. Only 50 yards away was the border line between Belgium and Holland, marked by a heavy barbed-wired entanglement and two or three cables through which ran high-powered electric currents.

"On the other side of the fence were a hundred or more Bosches—patrols who had hoped to capture me if I alighted on their side of the barbed wire. But I just beat them to it by a few measly feet. A close shave, what? And weren't they sore. They yelled over the fence at me, and shook their fists and guns; but I swore back at them just as hard as they cussed me.

Ordered to Give Parole.

"The Dutch were pretty good to me when I quieted down. They were decent fellows and were only doing their duty in grabbing me for internment. They took me up to a fort in Gronlagen, and there I stuck from Oct. 2 until the first of this year, when I was instructed by the British Government to give my parole. That meant that I must promise on my word of honor as an officer and gentleman not to try to escape.

Machine Not Badly Damaged.

"I could have got away, I think. I had all arrangement made to make a dash from the fort one dark night, have an automobile waiting outside to rush me to the coast, and I even had a trawler ready to take me and some other chaps back to England. But before we were quite ready to make our dash the word came to give our parole, and we had to abandon the plan."

Curiously enough, Boyd's machine was not badly damaged by its two-mile drop through the air. Three cylinders of its 9-cylinder Le Rhone engine were torn away by the German shell from the "Archie" that sent it flopping, and the propeller was splintered to bits and the wings were a little torn.

But, as has been the case with all ally machines compelled to land in Holland, it has been purchased by the Dutch Government and is ready for use again, having been refitted with another engine. The Dutch now own 16 aeroplanes of various types which have been bought from the French and English. They haven't many aviators though, and few of the flyers they do have are particularly expert.

Young Boyd, in a short time, is to give a demonstration of flying for the benefit of the Dutch Government and with the consent of his own, in the same little R. E. P. which used to be his. It is a 150-horse-power monoplane, with a speed of well over 100 miles an hour.

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All Druggists

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JESSE FRENCH CHANGES HOME

Piano Manufacturer to Remove His Residence to Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse French of 4133 Morgan street, residents of St. Louis for 20 years, during which time they have been identified with the encouragement of music and literature here, will depart today for Newcastle, Ind., to establish a permanent residence. French goes to Indiana to be near his sons, Horrace E. and Jesse French Jr., who have been managing the Jesse French & Sons Piano Co. since the establishment of the manufacturing concern at Newcastle 10 years ago.

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Euchre and Peanut Party.

Members of the sewing circle of St. Boniface Church will give a euchre and peanut party at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday, in the new school hall, Michigan avenue and Schirmer street.

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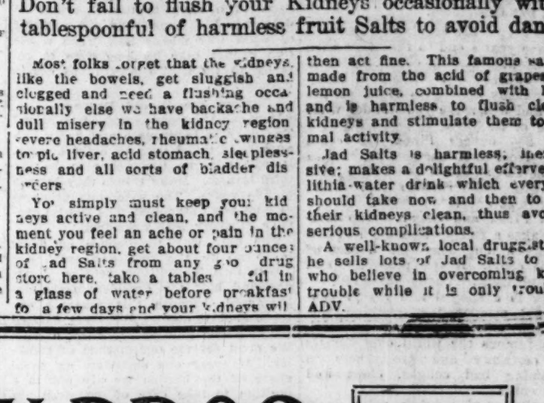
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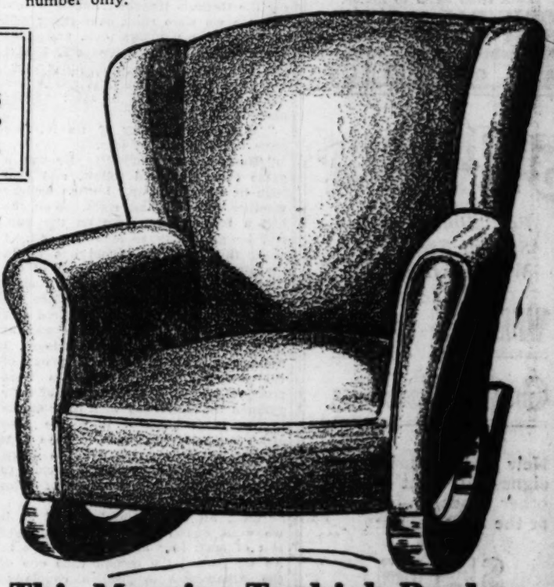
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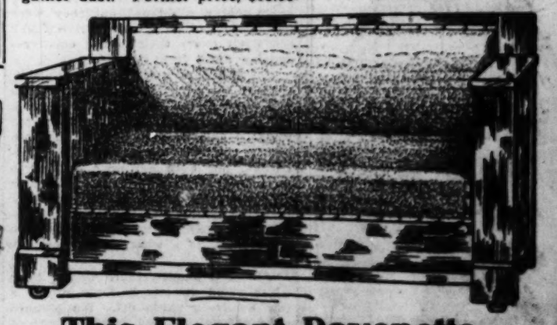
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NO BLAME FIXED BY CORONER'S JURY IN DYNAMITE CASE

Verdict Says Maplewood Deaths Were Due to "Fire Followed by Explosion."

No individual was held responsible for the Maplewood dynamite explosion by the verdict of the Coroner's jury, returned yesterday after the inquest into the deaths of Mrs. Emma Evans and Miss Effie Barnett. The explosion last Monday afternoon killed the two women, injured 60 other persons, demolished 11 dwellings and did widespread damage.

The verdict stated merely that the deaths resulted from fire, followed by an explosion, in a frame building used as a dynamite storehouse by the Cooney Construction Co.

The Cooney company has been required to remove all its dynamite, used in sewer excavating, from within the limits of Maplewood. It was required by the St. Louis police to remove Friday, from its shed standing on the city boundary, at Unter den Linden street, all the dynamite which it had stored there.

It was learned that the amount of dynamite contained in the shed on the city line was much larger than the police had thought, and was three times as large as the quantity which is supposed to have been in the Maplewood shed. Robert E. Cooney told a Post-Dispatch reporter that the Unter den Linden street shed contained 75 50-pound boxes of dynamite, 3750 pounds in all. He said it had been sent back to the Hercules Powder Co. in Valley Park.

Worry caused by the explosion is believed to have been the cause of the sudden departure of J. C. Voorhees, a member of the Maplewood City Council, who has been missing from his home since last Thursday. His house at 7276 Sarah street was damaged, and his friends say he feared that he might be held officially responsible for the storing of the dynamite in his ward.

The fund for the relief of those suffering from the explosion has received contributions amounting to $500. It is in charge of City Clerk O'Brien of Maplewood. The St. Louis Business Men's League and Merchants' Exchange have been asked to raise $10,000, and an effort will be made to raise $10,000 in St. Louis County.

CONSUL DENIES THAT JAPAN IS BACKING PHILIPPINE DEALS

Investments by Nationals Made on Initiative of Merchants Long Residents on Island, He Says.

MANILA, Philippines, March 4.—An official statement was issued today by the Japanese Consul at Manila, T. Sugimura, in which denial was made that the Japanese Government had any connection with recent extensive investments in the Philippines by its nationals.

It is declared in the statement that the investments of Japanese capital in question were made upon the initiative of Japanese merchants who have been long resident here and that the Government was in no way backing the deals and was not interfering with Philippine affairs. It further brands as baseless stories circulated here intimating that Japan entertains designs against the islands, following the extensive investments of Japanese capital.

Recent dispatches from Manila said that Japanese interests were negotiating for the purchase of various mills, sugar plantations and other property in the Philippines.

FATHER TIM WOULD END STRIKE

The Rev. Father Timothy Dempsey, pastor of St. Patrick's Church, who succeeded in bringing about a satisfactory settlement of the teamsters' strike, said yesterday that he had received several letters asking him to try to settle the boilermakers' strike, which has been on since last September.

Father Dempsey said that he had made many efforts to induce the strikers and the owners of the boilermaking plants to come to an agreement, but had not been successful. About 200 boilermakers formerly employed by the Heine Safety Boiler Works, the O'Brien Boiler Works and the Wangler Boiler Works are striking. These companies posted notices last June that they would run open shops. There is no difference in the matter of wages between the employes and employers, but the men are asking for recognition of their unions. The plants, until the notice was posted, had been unionized for many years.

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The Liederkranz Club's most novel entertainment of the season will be given next Saturday night, when 58 young women, under the direction of R. Hofmeister, will present a program of dancing under the subject, "The Spirit of the Dance."

The program will include solo, group and folk dancing.

CHRISTMAS SHOOTING FATAL

Mrs. Nellie Tracy, 33 years old, of 2008 Wash street, died at the city hospital Friday night from a bullet wound in the back, received Christmas night, when, she said, she was shot by a negro burglar.

Mrs. Tracy at the time told the police that a negro confronted her in the dining room and robbed her of a pair of diamond earrings and $18. He fired at her, she said, as she ran. Her husband, James, a deputy constable, told conflicting stories to the police, in one of which he stated he found his wife lying across the bed, wounded, after his return at midnight from the home of his brother-in-law.

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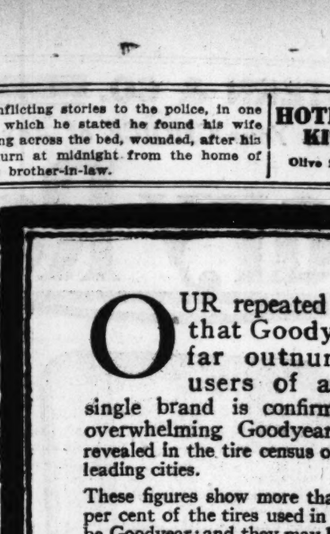
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WEEKS' STRENGTH IN STATE ALARMS HADLEY BACKERS

Jesse Tolerton Comes Here to Try to Check Senator's Presidential Boom.

3 CONVENTIONS MONDAY

Delegates to Chicago Will Be Elected in First, Seventh and Fourteenth Districts.

Alarmed by the reports of the active campaign in Missouri to get delegates for United States Senator John W. Weeks of Massachusetts for President, Jesse Tolerton of Springfield, who is nursing the presidential boom of former Governor Hadley, came to St. Louis yesterday for a conference with local political leaders.

Tolerton arrived just after E. L. Morse of Excelsior Springs, who is managing the Weeks campaign in Missouri, left for his home. Although Morse was sick and confined to his bed, he held conferences with Republican leaders from different sections of the State in his room at the Planters Hotel. He went home to be operated upon tomorrow, having recently been operated upon three times.

The Hadley supporters are not making any fight for instructed delegates from this State, and neither are the Weeks men, but both the Hadley and the Weeks crowds are trying to get delegates elected who will support their favorites in the Chicago convention.

View on Hadley Strength.

Tolerton said he was satisfied that all but the Third District delegates already elected would support Hadley for the nomination if a situation should arise whereby he would become the logical candidate. He said he believed Hadley would be satisfactory to both the Progressive and standpat elements of the party.

He said he did not believ, despite the efforts of the Weeks campaign managers, that the Massachusetts Senator would get any substantial support in this State. The Missouri delegates, he said, would vote for Hughes, Burton or Fairbanks in preference to Senator Weeks.

Three conventions will be held tomorrow for the election of delegates to the national convention. The First District convention will be held at Kirksville; the Seventh District convention at Sedalia, and the Fourteenth District convention at Sikeston. In the First District, Berryman Henwood, member of the State Committee from Hannibal, and Thomas Dockery of Kirksville have been slated for election as delegates.

In the Seventh District the slate is Holmes Hall of Sedalia and W. S. Wade of Springfield. No slate has been made in the Fourteenth District, but St. Louis Republicans say that Sam Ulen of Stoddard County and W. T. Harlan of West Plains will most likely win out. J. B. Rees of Taney County, W. P. Sullivan and a Cape Girardeau man are seeking the honor.

E. E. E. McJimsey of Springfield was in St. Louis with Tolerton. McJimsey has made no announcement of his intentions in the matter of running for Governor, but his supporters say that he is likely to be selected as the one candidate upon whom all the party leaders could get together. John E. Swanger and Charles D. Morris of St. Joseph are now in a bitter fight for the nomination, and Judge Henry Lamm of Sedalia has also announced his candidacy. McJimsey has been keeping quiet, but conferences will be held at the State convention at Excelsior Springs to determine who will be the strongest candidate against Judge Lamm.

Fear Swanger Would Be Scratched.

State leaders said yesterday that while Swanger had much strength in some parts of the State, he could not make a creditable showing in St. Louis and they feared if he should be the party nominee he would be heavily scratched in the November election, especially if Fred Gardner, a St. Louis man, should be the Democratic nominee.

The party leaders also said that Jacob L. Babler, now chairman of the Republican State Committee, would be elected National Committeeman at the Excelsior Springs convention to succeed Thomas K. Niedringhaus of St. Louis.

Babler, as State chairman, has created the most perfect State organization seen in Missouri politics for many years. He has brought into it the Kiel-Schmoll-Graves influences in St. Louis, the Tolerton-Hadley organization throughout the State, the Walter Dickey organization in Kansas City, and practically every county and district organization in the State. It is asserted that this combination will control not less than 1000 of the 1151 delegates to the State convention.

Babler and Gov. Hadley will be elected delegates at large to the national convention without opposition, and John Schmoll, Republican City Chairman of St. Louis, seems assured of the third place. There will be a fight for the fourth place. L. C. Dyer of St. Louis is seeking the place, but the Kiel organization is against him, and it is probable that the Babler-Kiel-Hadley crowd will select some man from the interior of the State, not unlikely former Lieutenant-Governor John C. McKinley of Unionville, for the fourth place.

McJimsey is slated for temporary chairman of the State convention, and it is not thought he will seek election as a delegate at large.

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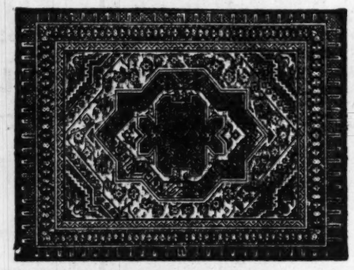
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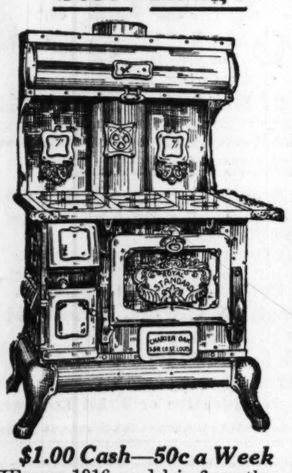
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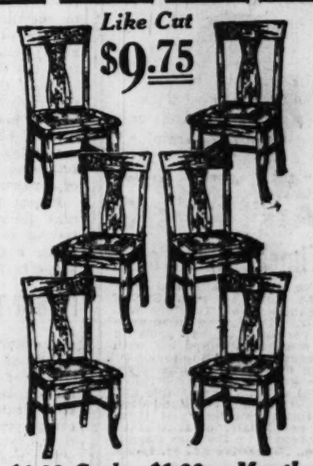
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BUY A HOME AND SAVE RENT
3000 Home Offers
IN THE REAL ESTATE AND WANT DIRECTORY.

Jests and Jingles

By W. H. JAMES

WHEN ARABELLA COASTS



MISS ARABELLA SIMPKINS BROWN, whom everyone is toasting,
Will gladly holler "Going down" when on a bob-sled coasting,
With chances few and far between, she waits with faith abiding
Until some hill so white and clean invites her out a-gliding.
A slide-away in the park's all right; a city street is better,
And that's the place of true delight that's always sure to get her.
When snow or sleet is on the ground it's time for cap and mitten,
And on that hill she will be found, as playful as a kitten.
Strange calls and whistles fill the air, compelling and inviting,
And shouts and laughter everywhere to winter sport's inciting.
There's little time for supper then, for she is in a hurry;
When mother says "Be in by ten," she answers: "I should worry."
O, Billy's bob is red and blue, and Wallie's bob is yellow,
And at the door the rival two await Miss Arabella.
She'd not be slighting either one, so turn about they ride her;
A smile she pays them for her fun, as sweet as apple cider.
Away they go, three blocks or more, no joy-cup could be fuller;
And when the giddly glide is o'er, then up the hill they pull her.
Now, mother said: "Be in by ten," but this is just like heaven;
The chance comes only now and then—she'll be in at eleven.

PERILS OF PEACE.

WE'VE never had to lead a charge
Where bullets blocked the way;
We've never slumbered in a trench
Instead of in the hay;
We've never heard a screaming shell
Go whizzing through the air;
We've never had a gas bomb burst
And put us out for fair;
We've never met a submarine
To sink us in the sea;
We've never dodged a Zeppelin
That just dropped in for tea;
But we have had a frozen pipe
In our cute little flat,
And we have paid the plumber's bill—
War can't be worse than that.

SPRING GARDEN HINTS.

IT is easy enough to grow vegetables for food, but other varieties require more care and cultivation. Raising carrots to be worn on your wife's hat will call for strenuous digging.

The millinery soup bunch differs in some particulars from the kind hitherto known to commerce. It consists of three cherries, one dwarf turnip, a bunch of grapes and a stick-up. The stick-up takes your pay check away from you.

Canned vegetables should not be planted until the frost is all out of the ground. Before setting out the cans carefully remove the trading stamps and give them to your wife. She will get something with them quite as useless as planting canned goods.

Be careful not to stretch the rubber plant when setting it out. The best way is to dig a hole about 12 feet deep. Then drop in the rubber plant and throw the dirt back in the hole before the plant can bounce out. This requires some speed and agility, but it can be done after three or four trials.

IN THE LISTS.

THE iron heel of oppression
Has its talons on the plow,
And the hand that rocks the cradle
Is the hand that milks the cow.

The ship of state is tottering
'Neath the woodman's cruel blow,
And the desert sands of progress
Lie buried in the snow.

Vice presidential honors
Are scattered everywhere;
So sound the silver scimitar
And tell them I'll be there.

MAJOR.

GOOSE EGGS AGAIN.

PALESTINE, Tex., March 4, 1916.—This was given out here today:

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At first sight it might be the Browns' end of a baseball score, but it isn't. It is Col. House's telegram in reply to a message from the Palestine Board of Trade asking him what he has found out in Europe.

Spring Styles

Drawn by Jean Knott for the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH



A LOOK AROUND

BY CLARK M'ADAMS.

IT is not hard to guess how the announcement that Charlie Chaplin is to make $670,000 this year made the average man feel. It made him feel foolish. No matter if money is not the accepted measure of worth, we all feel like that the material rewards of wit and industry differentiate us from the people who neither possess the one nor are capable of the other. That Charlie Chaplin can make more than eight times as much as the President of the United States, about 125 times as much as the average well-to-do business man, and some 200 times as much as the average college professor, no doubt occasions pretty widespread chagrin. Mr. Schwab says he pays one of his expert steelmakers $600,000 a year. It struck us at the time Mr. Schwab made this revelation that such a man must be something of a wonder in steel. Yet that same man is nicely topped on the payroll by the celebrated Charlie Chaplin, and to find someone whose income is greater than Charlie's, we must range upward into those ethereal financial altitudes where dwell the great financiers and the captains of industry. It is to laugh. Mary Pickford, we are told, makes $150,000 a year. Bud Fisher, who draws the Mutt and Jeff comics, is making $104,000 this year. Meanwhile, the rest of us make out on what we can get, the educator falls back blithely on his Carnegie pension, poets peer hopefully from their garrets, and except for the unpleasantness in Europe, all's well with the world. Human values are a little disturbed, but when one passes a moving picture theater on Friday night and hears the children whooping while Charlie shows what he can do, one cannot feel that there is anything wrong. People want to laugh, and there is nothing else for which they will as gladly pay as something funny. One could waste a great deal of breath disputing with the people about what is funny, but no wise man would do it. That is the sort of thing people decide for themselves. They have done it ever since Aristophanes tickled the Greeks.

WHAT the rest of us must decide for ourselves is that money is not very important. We know better, and if we could all sign up for $670,000 a year at something, we wouldn't much care what it was; but alas! We are not all Charlie Chaplins. It is, therefore, necessary for us to take what comfort we can of the sophistry that money is not the great thing. The people who have money or are fast getting it are well content to leave us undisturbed in that philosophy. It narrows the circle of those who are avowedly out after it, and widens the circle of those from whom it can be collected. Now and then one of us says it is no trick to make money; but, believe me, reader, it is a very great trick. While there are many people who have never seriously tried to make money, the number of those who have made it is nothing like the number of those who have tried. We have all of us known men who tried nothing else so hard as they tried to get rich. The percentage of them succeeding has always been small. It will never be anything else. The truth is that most of us cannot make money. We are as helpless before the varied requirements of wealth as we would be before the moving picture machine. We are no more capable of the mental processes of Mr. Rockefeller than we are of the physical processes of Charlie Chaplin. We fall into the common lot, there to wonder what is the difference between us and those fortunate beings to whom wealth appears easy. The case of Charlie Chaplin is really a relief. Watching Charlie, we can see the difference. He is not like the rest of us in any active respect. He has a different manner of getting about. He is like Fred Stone and Bert Walker. There is something excruciatingly and patently funny about him. Everybody howls and everybody cheerfully gives up a dime. Can you beat it? You can't!

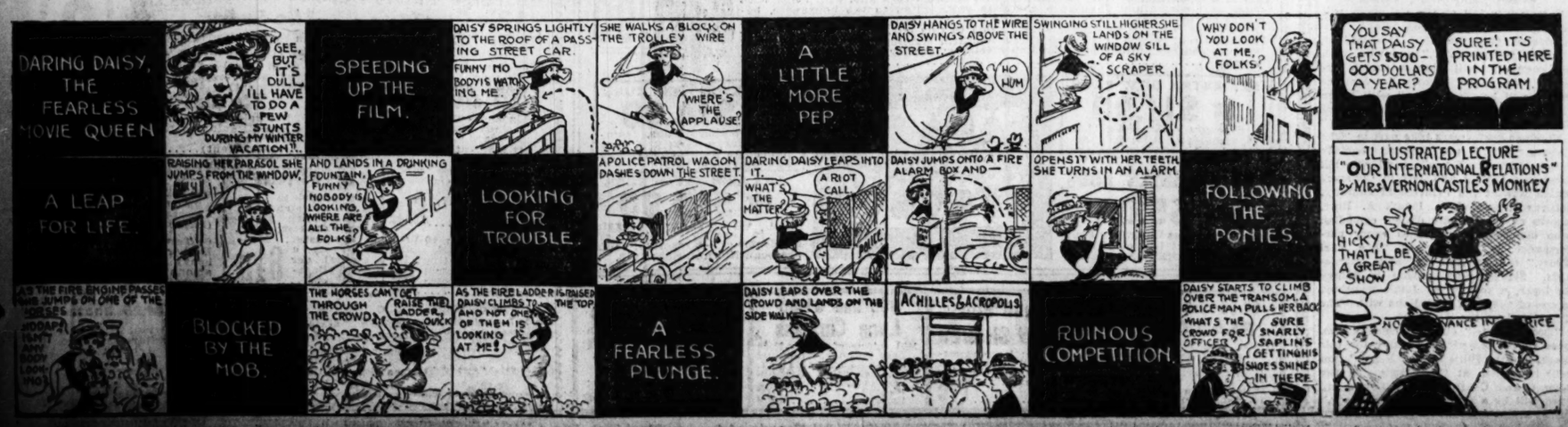
FEW things in the United States are so well known the world around as the Mississippi River. It is a commonplace with us here, but not so away from the river banks. Chicago people are the chief patrons of St. Louis steamboat excursions to the Tennessee River. The river is to them a novelty, as it is to every one not too familiar with it. A Japanese was telling about his experience. He had heard of the Mississippi River from childhood. Everybody in Japan knew about it. When he started to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition he thought of St. Louis as being upon the Mississippi. Arriving here, he rushed down to the levee to see that wonderful stream. He first looked at it from the levee, and then from the Eads bridge. It was not what he had thought it would be. It was only after he had gone up the river on one of the excursion boats and seen the river above the Missouri that he found the Mississippi as he had thought to find it. At the Piasa Bluffs it even exceeded his expectations. He had never dreamed it could be that beautiful. His surprise that we had done nothing to make the river front at St. Louis beautiful was very great when he came here. His explanation of how he had ceased to wonder about it after he had been here a few years was very laughable, too.

"I got to thinking less and less about it all the time, and after while I got like everybody else in St. Louis—I didn't care," he said.

Is it so bad as that? Don't we care? Does it make no difference to us what anyone who has heard of the Mississippi River from childhood finds it like at St. Louis? Of course we do care; only we have not yet cared enough to do anything about it. Some day shame shall spur us into action—oratory shall fly—bonds shall issue—and the thing shall be done! Let us hope that when the fight comes we can induce this Japanese to tell his story from every soap box in town.

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Scenario by W. H. James, Pictures by Carlisle Martin.





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Ozark Mothers Used To Be Afraid To Go To Bed At Night

Now Sleep Soundly Since They Have Found a Sure Preventive for Croup.

Many mothers, besides those of Ozark, Mo., have been afraid to sleep at night for fear of being awakened by that dread croupy cough. Mrs. H. H. Givan and Mrs. J. J. Cave, both of Ozark, have found, in common with many other Missouri mothers, that a jar of Vap-O-Rub in the house insures a good night's sleep.

Vap-O-Rub is the external treatment for all forms of croup or cold troubles, introduced here from the South last winter. It is in salve form and you just rub it over the throat and chest, covering with a warm flannel cloth. The body warmth releases antiseptic vapors that are inhaled with each breath, loosening the phlegm, and, in addition, Vick's is absorbed through and stimulates the skin, relieving the tightness and soreness. Croup is usually relieved in fifteen minutes, and a good application will, in almost every

But let Mrs. Givan speak for herself. She writes—"I have used Vick's Vap-O-Rub on my little girl for croup. I rubbed it on her chest and throat and it is just splendid, and I wasn't afraid to go to bed at night."

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FAVERSHAM, IN CARD TABLE EPIC, AT THE SHUBERT

Harry Lauder and "Omar" Come Later—"Birth of a Nation" Is Back.

This Week's Bills in St. Louis Playhouses

Ballet Russe, Odeon. Serge de Diaghileff's remarkable organization gives first of four performances tomorrow night.

"The Hawk," Shubert, tomorrow night. William Faversham in French emotional drama.

"The Master of the House," Park, tomorrow night. Florence Reed and Malcolm Williams head Players in comedy drama. "Chimes of Normandy," by Park Opera Co., twice today.

"Chimes of Normandy," Shenandoah, tomorrow night. "The Yellow Ticket," twice today.

"Mutt and Jeff in College," Princess. Return of comedy.

Vaudeville, Columbia. Alexander Carr, in "An April Shower," heads bill tomorrow.

Vaudeville, Grand. "The Cabaret Girl," musical comedy, heads bill tomorrow.

Melodrama, Hippodrome. "Convict 666."

Burlesque, Standard. "The Tempters."

Burlesque, Gayety. "The Girl Trust."

PHOTOPLAYS.

"The Birth of a Nation," Olympic. Return of notable Civil War and Reconstruction film, opening today matinee.

American. DeWolf Hopper in "Don Quixote," and three other films.

King's. Billie Burke in "Peggy;" "The Flying Torpedo," and comedy film.

New Grand Central. Marie Doro in "Diplomacy."

It's a measurable distance, if not a long way, from the Shubert Theater in New York to the playhouse of the same name in St. Louis; and it has taken William Faversham a year and four months to traverse this interval of space. His production of "The Hawk," a French emotional drama, which was first seen in New York in the fall of 1914, will make its first St. Louis appearance tomorrow night, at the Shubert. Its popularity in New York, and later in Chicago, explains the play's long delay in getting here.

In "The Hawk," Faversham has the role of Compte George de Dasetta, a gambler who, to gratify the expensive tastes of his beautiful wife, cheats at cards, with her help. An admirer of the wife, who wishes to bring about a divorce and then to marry her, carries matters to the point where the husband promises his consent to the divorce on one condition—that the wife will herself ask for it. The interview which follows is the most notable scene of the play.

The part of the countess, which was taken in the New York production by Mlle. Dorziat, and later by Faversham's statuesque wife, Julie Opp, is now taken by Arleen Hackett, who succeeded Miss Opp at the beginning of the Chicago engagement last October, and whose work was highly praised there. The remainder of the cast is that of the Chicago performance.

'Twill Be a Braw Nicht.

Hoot, mon! Harry Lauder is coming to the Shubert a week from tomorrow night, as the star of a vaudeville company which will give six night and five matinee performances. He will sing new and old Scotch songs, and the accompanying troupe will include acrobats, pantomimists and dancing and musical specialists. The attraction scheduled for the week beginning Sunday night, March 12, is "Omar the Tent Maker," one of the most pleasing of last year's offerings, with Guy Bates Post still in the title role.

"The Birth of a Nation," photoplay of the Reconstruction period, which had a run of 13 weeks, twice a day, at the Olympic and Garrick Theaters, last fall, is to return to the Olympic tonight, with a modified scale of prices, though the $2 maximum is still preserved. Nothing else is scheduled for the Olympic until April 2, when Julian Eltinge is to produce a new play there.

The Park Theater Players, still headed by Florence Reed and Malcolm Williams, will return to the Park tomorrow night in a comedy drama, "The Master of the House." This play, it is believed, will prove a pleasing change from the heavily tragic "Yellow Ticket," and it will make an opening for Elsie Hitz, ingenue, and for other members of the company who did not appear in "The Yellow Ticket." This week "The Chimes of Normandy" will be sung at the Shenandoah, and next week "The Master of the House" will be played there, after which the Players will return to the Park, to be headed for four weeks by Miss Mary Boland.

"Vode," Burlesque, Films.

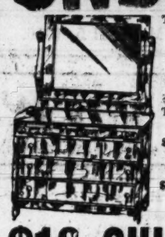
Tomorrow's bill at the Columbia will be headed by Alexander Carr, who originated the role of "Mawruss" in "Potash & Perlmutter," and who, with his company, will play a sketch entitled "An April Shower." Another sketch will be "Overtones," with Helen Lackaye in the leading role. A third act will be a farce, "The New Teacher."

Nineteen performers take part in "The Cabaret Girl," the musical comedy which heads the Grand's vaudeville bill tomorrow. "Mutt and Jeff in College," which was at the Princess in January, returns there today. Frank A. Burt, known as the German dialect comedian who changes his act with every performance, is the star of "The Girl Trust." the Gayety's burlesque attraction. Sidney Rogers, who is Sidney Schipper, a former St. Louis newsboy, is one of the chief comedians with "The Tempters" at the Standard.

"Don Quixote," classical comedy film, goes to the American Theater for this week, and the Billie Burke "Peggy" film will be shown at the King's. At the New Grand Central, Marie Doro's big eyes will be a feature of "Diplomacy," in the stage version of which Miss Doro appeared at the Olympic last year.

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$7 Mantel Bed; has the genuine National link spring, golden oak top; opens to a full-length bed, or closes to a neat mantel; for only.....$3.95

$3 All-Steel Sanitary Couches; National link spring; opens to a full-size bed or closes to a neat couch; extra special.....$1.95

$3 Mattress; has heavy felt top, wood fiber filling, striped ticking; any size; for only.....$1.79



$6 Felt Mattress

Well made of all pure sanitary felt; full 45 lbs. weight; good quality art ticking; Monday's sale.....$3.95

$8 Felt Mattress; an air-blown Felt Mattress, with layers carefully placed; in any size wanted; has heavy roll edge; only.....$4.95

$10 Felt Mattress; built of pure white vermin-proof felt; use it for 60 nights. If not satisfactory your money will be refunded; one day only.....$5.95



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About 75 of these Beds (like cut), were purchased before the advanced price took place, 1½-inch continuous post, heavy filling rods, heavy baked vernis Martin enamel, ¾ or full size, at the very low price of

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$26 BED DAVENETTE

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Specially priced for Monday only. Frames of oak, in golden fumed finish or imitation mahogany; standard steel spring construction; inside frame of hardwood; thoroughly braced, and as well made as Davenette offered at much higher prices; covering of high-grade imitation leather, black or brown.

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$35 Davenette; frames are of golden oak, fumed oak or mahogany finish; standard steel spring construction; while they last only.....$19.95

$40 Davenette; any finish desired; black or brown Spanish upholstering, fitted with the revolving seat; this is one of the greatest bargains ever offered; Monday only.....$21.95



This Cabinet is made of solid oak, has basswood top, 35x42 inches; two flour bins, each 50-lb. capacity; two linen or cutlery drawers; has large china space with two glass doors; one day only.....$6.95

$21 China Closet; quarter-sawed oak; any finish; straight line effect; 5 shelves; tomorrow only.....$12.95

$27.50 Buffet; golden oak or rich fumed finish; large 42-in. plank top; heavy French plate mirror; lined silverware drawer; two compartments for china; one long drawer for linen; will match above china closet for only.....$19.95



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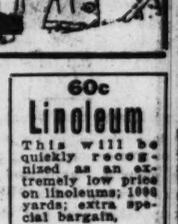
$2.50 Dining Chairs; leather upholstered seats; quarter-sawed oak frame, continuous post, any finish.....$1.33

$4 Dining Chairs; well braced underneath seats; genuine tan Spanish or black leather slip seats; tomorrow.....$1.98

$3.50 High-Grade Sewing Rockers; solid oak; continuous post; cobbler seat.....$1.27

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69c

$1.25 36-inch BLACK CHIFFON TAFFETA, 77c

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36 in. wide; special, from the bolt, per yard, Monday (Main Floor).....15c

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36-inch plain and fancy White Goods; madras, crepe effects, cambrics and lawns; yd. (Main Floor).....5c

60c Table Damask
Double-weight, imported white satin Table Damask; 64 in. wide, in beautiful patterns; yd. (Main Floor).....39c

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36-inch fine quality English Longcloth; put up especially for us in 6-yd. bolts; each (Main Floor).....47c

60c All-Wool Granite Cloth
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$1.00 Vanities; solid German silver; contain mirror, powder puff and change holders.....33c

$1.00 Alarm Clocks; nickel plated Alarm Clocks; good time keepers, special.....50c

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Tie Pins, shirt Waist Sets, Belt Pins, Beauty Pins, Tie Clasps, Bar Pins, special,
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$3.50 Mesh Bags; German silver double ring Mesh Bags; while 10 last.....$1.55

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Dresses that formerly sold for $15; in taffetas, messalines, crepe de chine and poplins; also beautiful Evening Dresses, in all good styles, but slightly soiled from handling; in all sizs and all good colors; at (Second Floor).....$5.00



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Misses' and Children's Middies
Of white Indian head, with large collars and cuffs of navy, red and stripes; some braid trimmed and pockets; lace front; cut full; size 6 to 20.....47c

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Wreath of Carnations.....50c

The above are Hawaiian selections—the sensational hits. Ask for complete list.

60c Linoleum
This will be quickly recognized as an extremely low price on linoleums; 1000 yards; extra special bargain,
22½c Yd.

200-Ft. Roll Poultry Wire, 95c



250-ft. roll Chicken or Fence Wire; 5 ft. high; roll ($4 Floor).....$1.29



Ready-Mixed Paint; floor or house; quart can for.....23c



50c Gas Fixtures; 1 light; with burner.....27c



$4 Art Glass Dining-Room Domes.....$1.98

$1 Garden Set, 3 pieces, consisting of steel Garden Shovel, Rake and Hoe; set.....67c

Step Ladders, made of Norway pine; 3 ft. high.....39c

$1.25 Suit Case; 24-in. long; well made; with brass trimming.....79c

$2 Gas Fixture; solid brass (like picture); 2 lights.....$1.45

$1 Gas Fixture; 2 lights (Third Floor).....69c

$5 Art Glass Domes; amber or green.....$2.98

$6 Art Glass Domes; with fringe.....$3.98

$3.75 Electric Shower; complete with shades; 2 lights.....$1.69

75c Galvanized Washtubs; largest No. 3 size.....69c

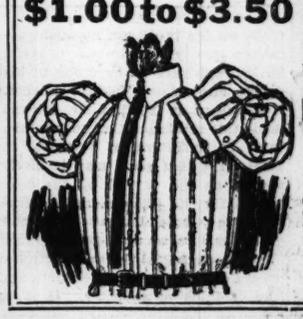
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50c Gray Granite Teakettles; large size, for.....29c

60c Inverted Gas Lights; complete with mantle and globe.....22c

$4.50 Electric Shower; 3 lights; complete with glassware.....$2.49

$1.00 to $3.50 SHIRTS, 67c



Silk Fronts, Reps, Togo Cloth, Penangs, Mercerized Fabrics, Etc.

Included among these shirts you will find Monarch, Arrow, P. E. W., Unique, Etc.

Some of the above brands will tell the story better than we can; soft French cuffs, laundered cuffs, neckband, in fact, all kinds of Shirts, even white pleats, etc.; your choice, Monday, 3 for $1.95, or each.....

9 O'CLOCK SPECIAL
Men's 50c Shirts—A goodly assortment of Men's 50c Shirts, in laundered; neckband and collar attached, also blue shirts; special until sold (Main Floor).....25c

$5.00 SILK SHIRTS
Pure Tub Silk Shirts in a neat array of pretty stripes; Shirts that you never can duplicate at the price again (Main Floor); 3 for $7.50, or each.....$2.45

$20 AXMINSTER RUGS

This is a repetition of that remarkable sale of two weeks ago, which met with such enthusiasm and gave such complete satisfaction to the housewife, because of the remarkably low prices and wonderful bargains. Those who did not attend the first sale must surely come to this one. Note this bargain—over 110 mill rejects of $20 and $22.50 beautiful Axminster rugs; new Spring designs; hardly noticeable slight imperfections; quality the best; 9x12; extra special.....$10.90

$22 EXTRA SIZE RUGS for $11.90
Fine grade Brussels; 11.3x12, 10.6x12, 11.3x15; Oriental, floral and medallion designs.

$13 BRUSSELS RUGS, for $5.00
9x12 seamless Bungalow Brussels Rugs; a variety of 50 beautiful designs; EXTRA special.



$23 AXMINSTER RUGS for $14.90
Actual $23.00 Rugs, seamless; a large variety of very handsome designs; colors to suit everyone; 9x12.

$32 AXMINSTER RUGS for $19.90
An extraordinary bargain; best in quality; designs are handsome and attractive; colors are beautiful and rich; 9x12.

$3.50 and $4.50 BLANKETS
Winter season is passing so rapidly that we are compelled to sacrifice these fine part wool Blankets at less than mill cost (Second Floor).....$1.55

20c and 25c WINDOW SHADES
Regular size; large assortment in all colors; on good rollers; this is a big bargain; extra (Second Floor).....11c

80c and $1.00 Lace Curtains
Mill rejects of 75c to $1.50 Lace Curtains; white and ecru; 2½ and 3 yards long; Madras, cable, Nottingham nets; pair (Second Floor).....55c

$1.00 Bed Sets
Imitation Mexican Drawnwork; large size (Second Floor).....59c

10c Scrim
Plain hemstitched and colored border; many patterns; yard.....5c

BASEMENT BARGAINS

12½c Cambric; 36-inch snow-white Cambric; fine for making Spring undergarments in all good lengths; 14 yards for $1.00; per yard (Basement).....

7½c

12½c Outing
Light Outing, extra heavy grade; nice for quilt lining and other household use, per yard (Basement).....5c

10c Swiss
36-inch white Curtain Swiss, striped only, in all good lengths; per yd. (Basement).....5c

12½c Wash Goods
Odds and ends of voiles, crepes, ratines and foulards; per yard (Basement).....5c

7½c and 5c Emb.
Embroidery edging and insertion, in all dainty patterns; per yard (Basement).....2½c

12½c Cheviots; extra heavy grade Cheviots, in stripes and checks; fine for shirts; per yard (Basement).....6¼c

19c PONGEE
32-inch white Pongee remnants; makes nice shirts and dresses; fine silk luster; Monday, as a special, per yard (Basement).....6½c

7½c Sheeting; 40-inch double thread, unbleached Sheeting; for sheets and cases; per yard (Basement).....5c

7½c Calicoes; best grade Calicoes in all good lengths; for aprons and dresses; yard (Basement).....3½c

6c Towels; plain white Barber Towels; extra heavy grade; limited amount; each (Basement).....2½c

Bungalow Aprons Fast color gingham in staple checks and tweeds; taped trimmed sleeves; belt and pocket; special (Basement).....25c

39c Pants Bloomer style, made of heavy dark mixed material; assorted sizes (Basement).....14c

79c DRESSES Stripped ginghams and fancy percales and crepes; Assorted sizes; (Basement).....25c

$1.25 Shoes Patent leather, Children's; red and black tops; sizes 2 to 6 (Basement).....50c

All Brands of Sewing Machines, 75c a Week

Nugents — CONTINUING OUR 43D ANNIVERSARY SALE — Nugents

Central 3900 Olive 3900 — With Renewed Interest — A Greater Week — Central 3900 Olive 3900

Announcement

We Will Continue Our Anniversary Sale One More Week—This Is Unusual

All our previous Anniversary Sales have been for one week only, but as we made such extensive preparations for this sale, and were successful in securing unusual quantities of merchandise at very low prices, and appreciating the fact that many of our patrons were unable to attend the sale owing to the inclement weather of the past week, we decided to continue this sale to enable our patrons to take full advantage of the low price offerings.

We enter into the second week of this sale with renewed vigor. Watch daily papers for advertisements from day to day.

Pretty New Blouses—Anniversary Prices



$2.00 to $2.50 Blouses, $1.43
Pretty Organdie, Voile and embroidered Batiste Blouses, daintily trimmed with Val. and Venice laces, combined with fine embroidery; rolling collars, deep cuffs and sleeves are also lace and embroidery trimmed..... **$1.43**

$3.00 to $4.00 Values, $2.43
Smart Blouses of Crepe de Chine, Tub Silks and embroidered Pongee (natural color) are offered in an excellent variety of new models—semi-tailored styles, hemstitched and tucked, pearl button trimming, convertible or rolling collars, pointed cuffs; colors white, flesh or rose..... **$2.43**

$5.00 to $6.50 Blouses, $3.43
Beautiful Lace, Wash Net, Crepe de Chine, Chiffon and Pussy Willow and Lace Combinations; frill models, touches of embroidery, fine laces and novelty buttons are used as trimmings for these pretty Blouses—all the new collar and sleeve effects..... **$3.43**

(Second Floor.)

Art Needlework Department

Tinted Cross-Stitch Pillow Tops and Back, finished model on display, each..... **19c**

Full size assorted colors Cretonne Laundry Bags, 65c value, each..... **43c**

Stamped Linen Towels, 16x25 inch size, easy to work designs, 35c value, each..... **19c**

Stamped Huck Dresser Sets, honeycomb weave, Dresser Scarf and Pin Cushion to match, 65c value, each..... **43c**

We have the new **Colonial Patch Work Bedspreads,** Dresser Scarfs and Sofa Pillows, books for teaching and materials for work.

(Fourth Floor.)

Ideas From Imported Hats



Special Anniversary Offering **$6.43**



This offering gives the women of St. Louis choice of many **unusually beautiful TRIMMED HATS**—no two alike. All the best colors in Fashion's Spring Color Scheme—new pink, Copenhagen blue, gold or mastic, green and black.

An infinite variety of trimmings is offered—flowers, wings and **quills.**

This is a "Monday Only" Offering, as the amount is very limited.

(Second Floor.)

Anniversary Sale of Dress Goods

$1.50, $1.75 and $2 Black Goods, 95c

$1.50 Black India Twill, 52 inches wide....
$1.50 Black French Serge, 54 inches wide...
$1.50 Black Stripe Suiting, 54 inches wide..
$1.75 Black Gabardine, 54 inches wide.....
$1.75 Black Clay Serge, 54 inches wide.....
$2.00 Black Drape d'Alma, 54 inches wide..
$2.00 Black Wool Charmeuse, 54 inches wide.
$2.00 Black Gabardine, 54 inches wide.....
$2.00 Black Wool Velour, 52 inches wide....

95c Yd.

We Offer an Extraordinary Attraction in

Women's and Misses' New Spring Suits



Four Styles Illustrated

Showing the latest Suits that are copies of the very **last word from the style inventors of the world.**

The models are unlimited and embrace every color and fabric. They are made of fine gabardine, poplins, mannish serge, velour checks, novelty tweeds, Shepherd checks, taffeta silks, faille and silk poplin—many in taffeta and serge combinations.

Stylish tailored Suits, nobby Norfolk and belted models, jaunty flares and ripples, cape designs; straight lines and suits modeled to fit every figure. They show new collars, new belts and many fancy effects. The skirts are cut full and in a variety of effective styles. The colors represent all the new shades, as rookie, Belgian and Delft blues, Bay Leaf and Reseda greens, black and white checks and stripes—plenty of black and navy blue. Sizes for misses 16 and 18 years, and women 36 to 46 bust.

Values $30, $35 and $40

$19.43

(Second Floor.)

Monday Morning Will Inaugurate the Greatest Week's Selling of Women's & Children's Fine Footwear

Thousands of dollars' worth of dependable and desirable Shoes and Oxfords at prices which do not cover factory cost.

We detail some of the most phenomenal bargains. Hundreds of pairs of Women's Shoes, Oxfords and Pumps, $2.50 to $4 values; not all sizes; at..... **98c**

(No C. O. D.'s, exchanges or returns on the above lot.)

Women's High Shoes, many new styles; $3.50 to $5 values, at..... **$1.75**

Over 1000 pairs of Women's dainty Oxfords and Pumps; many beautiful combinations and two-tone effects; special at..... **$1.95**

Women's High Shoes; plenty of dainty styles for those of particular taste; $4, $5 and $6 values, at..... **$2.95**

Children's $2, $2.50 and $3 Shoes; good range of styles and sizes, at..... **$1.55**

Children's fine Shoes; many styles to select from; $3, $3.50 and $4 values, at..... **$1.85**

We wish to urge the women of St. Louis to take advantage of this sale, which is one you cannot afford to miss.

The merchandise included was not bought for a special sale, but is from our regular stock and every pair is up to the high standard maintained by Nugents.

(Fourth Floor.)



Women's and Misses' New Skirts

Beautiful Skirts of silk taffetas, blacks and blues. Also Skirts of chuddah cloth and poplin, in blacks, blues and checks. These Skirts are cut full and in a variety of effective styles, including the new cascade model. Regular and extra sizes in the poplins..... **$4.43**

(Second Floor.)

Men! Tomorrow—Come Here and Secure a

New Spring Suit or Topcoat



Made to Retail at $17.50 to $20.00, for..... $12.43

These are a well-known maker's donation to our great sale. These are classy and up-to-date fabrics and models, including fancy worsteds, checks, plain grays, fancy stripes and blue serges, the very best grade of materials; all sizes; **Anniversary Price, $12.43.**

Another Extraordinary Offer

Men's and Young Men's Suits and Overcoats that would sell in the regular way at $15 and $18, at..... **$9.43**

Linens—Anniversary Prices

Heavy Linen Toweling
Bleached, pure Linen Crash Toweling, 18 inches wide; 20c value, at..... **17c**

$1.25 Dozen Linen Napkins
Bleached, pure linen; good large size; doz..... **$1.00**

$3.50 Doz. Dinner Napkins
Bleached, pure linen satin damask, 22-in. size. **$2.95**

70c Bleached Damask
66-inch size imported Bleached Cotton Damask; warranted to give satisfaction in laundering..... **55c**

$5.00 Tablecloths
Bleached, pure linen pattern Tablecloths, 2x2, 2x2½ and 2x3 yard sizes; slightly imperfect..... **$3.43**

Fine Bleached Damask
Heavy Bleached, pure Linen Satin Damask; good weight; beautiful patterns; for..... **$1.00**

35c Huck Towels
Large size, pure linen, hemmed, plain white and red borders; fast color..... **29c**

(Main Floor.)

Hair Goods



An abundance of hair will be the vogue this Spring.

$3 Switches..... $2.00
$5 and $6 Switches 3.95

We clean and care for all Hair Goods free of charge.

NOTE—We have a branch at the Uptown Store, Vandeventer and Olive.

Anniversary Curtain Sale

Marquisette and Voile Curtains; ideal for dining and bedrooms, trimmed with lace edges and insertions; a special lot of small quantities; worth $2.50; special at..... **$1.43**

Voile and Scrim Curtains; neatly trimmed with edges and insertions—a large assortment of styles; made to sell at $1.75 and $2.00, pair..... **95c**

36-inch Plain Marquisette; in white, ivory and ecru; 20c quality; yard..... **12½c**

100 pieces of new Spring Cretonnes; all just in, patterns and colors that have never before been shown in St. Louis; special at..... **23c**

75 pieces of good quality Cretonne; 1 yard wide; fine line of new designs and colors; 25c value; special at..... **12½c**



(Second Floor.)

A Sale of W. & J. Sloane's Rugs

W. & J. Sloane's Wilton Velvet Rugs—150 to select from—all brand-new, just unpacked, every rug perfect. Size 9x12. New price, $25.00—special at..... **$16.83**

Size 11.3x12. New price, $32.50—special at..... **$21.43**

150 Bigelow Electra & Hartford Bussorah Royal Axminster Rugs; all perfect, all new, fresh and clean. Size 9x12. New price, $30.00—special at..... **$24.43**

9x12 fine quality Tapestry Brussels Rugs; most of them woven in one solid piece of well-selected yarns thoroughly cleaned and well colored; all-wool surface, fast colors. Once you see them you'll be convinced that they are greater value than most Brussels Rugs that are sold elsewhere for $17.50—special at..... **$13.83**

100 rolls W. & J. Sloane's Wilton Velvet Stair Carpet; almost every color and pattern in this lot; copies of patterns in the most expensive carpet made—special at..... **$1.00**



(Third Floor.)

Style Show Week

MARCH 6 TO 11

SPRING MILLINERY

From the clever designers of New York and Paris come these beautiful millinery conceptions.

The new millinery always of prime importance when Fashion turns the page of seasons, is more fascinating than ever this Spring, as there are so many entirely new style features.

The artists of Paris have sent us wonderful creations through our foreign representatives, also some exclusive, unusual Frenchy materials that are absolutely necessary for a distinctive millinery creation. Mesdames Georgette, Lewis, Hermance, Saget and Odette are a few of the many well-known Parisian milliners who have given us such clever hats.

Corsets At Anniversary Prices



$7.00 La Vida Corsets, $4.43
Average figures, medium bust, made in handsome pink brocade, all sizes.

$5.00 La Vida Corsets, $2.95
Average and full figures, medium bust, in coutil, pink and white brocade, all sizes.

$3.50 Frolaset Front Lace Corsets, $2.23
Average and full figures, medium bust, elastic gore at bottom of corset, all sizes.

$3.00 Rengo Belt Corsets, $1.95
For stout figures, medium bust, elastic gores over thigh; sizes 22 to 28.

$2.00 Spring Models, $1.43
Average figure, made in batiste and coutil, some with elastic gores; sizes 19 to 31.

(Fourth Floor.)

Toilet Soaps

5c Cake Toilet Soaps, regular size, assorted odors, only 10 gross in this lot at, cake..... **2½c**

8c American Lady Round Peroxide Soap, for toilet and bath at cake..... **5c**

10c Sternes' Peroxide Bath or Almond Oil Bath Soap, large size cakes —3 for..... **20c**

10c Hearts of Violet or Hearts of Rose Transparent Glycerine Soap, true odors, for toilet or bath, 3 for..... **20c**

Toilet Goods

$1.25 Hughe's Ideal Hairbrushes, double bristles, large size, at..... **69c**

98c 2-qt. White Enamel Douche Cans, complete, with 5-ft. tubing, 2 pipes and shut-off..... **55c**

75c Black Rubber Dressing Combs, 9 inches long, polished, excellent quality and value at..... **43c**

75c Piver's Letrefle or Nugent Sachet Powder, in bulk or per ounce..... **55c**

Powder Puffs at..... 10c

Anniversary Prices on Wash Fabrics

Amoskeag Madras, 12½c Yd.
4000 yards of 32-inch fancy dress Madras, white grounds, with neat colored stripes and plaid effects.

18c Gingham, 12½c Yd.
32-inch dress Ginghams, light and dark colors, rich plaids, stripes, checks and plain colors.

12½c Plain Chambray, 11½c
32-inch dress Chambray, plain colors, 3 to 9 yard lengths.

Cotton Challie, 9c Yd.
36-inch Cotton Challie, light and dark colors, Persian and floral patterns.

Dress Percales, 8½c
36-inch Percales, white grounds with colored stripes and figures.

Fancy Chambrays, 11½c Yd.
32-inch Chambrays, white and colored grounds, with neat stripes and plaid effects, 3 to 9 yard lengths.

25c Printed Voile, 15c Yd.
40-inch Voile, fine sheer quality, printed figures and plaid effects.

50c and 65c Baby Flannel, 35c Yd.
White embroidered Flannel, dainty silk patterns, excellent quality.

20c Printed Batiste, 12½c
White grounds with neat printed floral patterns and stripes, 38 inches wide.

75c Dress Linen, 43c
45-inch Ramie Linen, plain colors, correct weight for suits and dresses.

75c Printed Silks, 43c Yd.
36-inch half-silk Dress Fabrics, white and colored grounds, with printed stripes and figures, suitable for dresses and shirts.

50c Plain Half Silk, 33c
36-inch Jap Silk, silk and cotton mixed, good quality.

(Basement.)

500 beautiful Bamboo Baskets at half price and less.

Just Received—Japanese Baskets



Complete sample line, no two Baskets alike, new fresh merchandise, long-handled Flower Baskets, Ferneries, Work Baskets, Jardinieres, Trays, Vases, Fruit Baskets, in fact any kind of Basket manufactured.

Lot 1—Values up to $2.50 at..... $1.00
Lot 2—Values up to $5.00 at..... $2.00

(Basement.)

In the Basement Salesroom

15c Plisse Crepe, 9c
Mill ends of 28-in. White Plisse Crepe, soft finish.

19c White Voile, 10c
40-in. plain white silk finish Voile, for waists and dresses.

$1.00 Tablecloths, 69c
2-yard bleached mercerized pattern cloths, hemmed ready for use

Huck Towels, 12½c
20x42-in. hemmed linen finish Huck Towels, plain white borders.

25c Bath Towels, 17c
Large size, full bleached Turkish Bath Towels, hemmed ends.

8½c Brown Muslin, 6¼c
Mill ends of full 36-in. width Brown Muslin.

Beds and Mattresses

Anniversary Sale

$5.00 Bed Springs for full size beds; will never sag; elevated corners..... **$3.43**

$10.50 extra fine Mattresses; guaranteed 100% all cotton felt; will not mat..... **$7.43**

$23.00 Ostermoor Mattresses for full size beds; the noted hotel style; extra weight..... **$14.43**



$7.50 and $8.50 Iron Beds; 15 styles; all first quality; big beds. **$4.43**

$12 and $15 Steel Beds; many styles; 2 and 2½ inch post styles; all finishes..... **$6.43**

$30 and $35 Brass Beds; the greatest lot we have ever offered; 27 different styles; ¾ and full sizes; satin or bright finishes..... **$22.43**

(Fourth Floor.)

THREE FIRST-TIME NUMBERS ON POP CONCERT PROGRAM

Symphony Orchestra Management Has Signed Contracts With Five 1916-17 Season Artists.

André Polah, the violin soloist for today's "Pop" concert of the Symphony Orchestra at the Odeon, is a native of Holland who, prior to his recent arrival in America, was violinist of the Imperial Court in Berlin.

Polah was compelled to leave Germany, having been denounced as a spy, which he disproved at a trial. Following his acquittal he departed for his native land, later accepting an invitation to visit this country. He came at the solicitation of Miss Rose O'Neill, the American artist, who has engaged him to write the music of her new "kewpie" opera.

The following program has been arranged for the afternoon:

Overture to Merry Wives of Windsor—Nicolai
Two orchestral pieces—
(a) Slumber Song—
(b) Aubade .....G. F. Boyle
(First time.)
La Jota Aragonese .....Saint-Saens
Concerto for violin, in E Minor, Op. 64—Mendelssohn
I Allegro molto appassionato. II Andante. III Allegro molto vivace.
Valse Triste .....Lillebridge
(First time.)
Nutcracker Suite, Op. 71.....Tschaikowsky
Danse de la Fee Dragee. Danse Russe. Danse Arabe. Danse Chinoise. Danse des Mirlitons. Valse des Fleurs.

The three first-time numbers on the foregoing list are in manuscript. The composer of the Slumber Song and the Morning Serenade, G. F. Bayle, is connected with the Peabody Conservatory of Music in Baltimore, Mr. The performance of the "Valse Triste" will give a first hearing to the composition of a St. Louisan.

Tuesday evening the Symphony Orchestra will visit Columbia, Mo., where a concert will be given under the auspices of the Phi Mu Alpha fraternity in the university auditorium. Mrs. David Kriegshaber, a St. Louis pianist, will accompany the orchestra to play the MacDowell A Minor concerto.

The Symphony management announces ambitious plans for the series of concerts of the 1916-17 season. None but the very best artists, it is said, will be engaged as soloists, and thus far contracts have been signed with Schumann-Heink, Mischa Elman, Josef Hoffmann, Alma Gluck and Efrem Zimbalist.

Mme. Fannie Bloomfield Zeisler, pianist, will be the soloist for the Friday and Saturday concerts during the coming week. The program follows:

Overture to Genoeva, Op. 81.....Schumann
Symphony No. 1, in E minor, Op. 39...Sibelius
(a) Andante ma non troppo, allegro energico.
(b) Andante ma non troppo lento.
(c) Scherzo, allegro.
(d) Finale quasi una fantasia.
Concerto for piano, No. 1, in B-flat minor, op. 23 .....Tschaikowski
(a) Andante non troppo e molto maestoso, allegro con spirito.
(b) Andantino semplice, allegro vivace assai.
(c) Allegro con fuoco.
Overture to Le Roi d'Ys .....Salo
(First time.)

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Solid Gold Wedding Rings, $3 to $25. JACCARD'S on Broadway, cor. Locust.

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V. and C. Huber, 5631 Spalding; boy.
F. and A. Riza, 1028 N. Eighth; boy.
F. and A. Bounso, 615 Franklin; boy.
S. and A. Gilluffo, 1473 N. Thirteenth; boy.
S. and B. Lumetta, 1224 N. Eighth; boy.
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E. and T. Woltering, 618 Wilmington; boy.
A. and L. Kloepper, 3817 Wisconsin; boy.
G. and V. Dillman, 6818A Virginia; boy.
W. and A. Franke, 2214A Miami; boy.
W. and E. Brasses, 1815 S. Eighth; boy.
F. and H. Simon, 4044 Margaretta; boy.
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F. and A. Pieper, 4857 Garfield; girl.
L. and S. Brookman, 2529 Grove; girl.
A. and A. Henderson, 4332 Penrose; girl.
G. and R. Fioretto, 1019 High; girl.
G. and G. Russo, 1607 Carr; girl.
C. and G. Ventimiglia, 1455 N. Fourteenth; girl.
G. and L. Calandra, 1418 N. Tenth; girl.
F. and T. Orlando, 615 Biddle; girl.
P. and M. Bommarito, 1218 St. Ange; girl.
E. and A. Huggert, 4518 Chouteau; girl.
W. and E. Padameyer, 3430 McKoan; girl.
O. and M. Spahn, 4483 Minnesota; girl.
R. and C. Curia, 1120 N. Eighth; girl.
G. and G. Ventimiglia, 1122 N. Eighth; girl.

BURIAL PERMITS.

Lilly R. Gregg, 44, 4440 Laclede; sarcoma.
R. Kearns, 76, 2200 Hebert; sclerosis.
Robert Voyles, 1, 1440 S. 2d; diphtheria.
Varion McCauley, 1, 812 Marion; pneumonia.
Mary Reez, 66, 2456 De Kalb; myocarditis.
D. W. Low, 59, 14332 Carondelet; myocarditis.
G. Pruitt, 48, 3014 Laclede; peritonitis.
D. H. Jefferson, 65, 2622 Papin; pneumonia.
S. Loyd, 32, 9702 River V. Drive; tuberculosis.
Henry Benton, 52, 319 S. 22d; tuberculosis.
J. White, 87, 1405 Morgan; pneumonia.
A. Pitcher, 54, 828 S. Garrison; pneumonia.
Leon Schweiser, 23, 1262 Hamilton; suicide.
William Peacocke, 62, 4335 Parkview; sclerosis.
M. E. Hahn, 44, 2725 Madison; embolism.
T. D. Carroll, 72, 2200 Wash; cirrhosis.
J. J. Washburn, 81, 2918 Lyons; septicemia.
Edward Burton, 5, 6138 Amanda; meningitis.
John Ward, 55, 4200 Delmar; hemorrhage.
Thomas Kenan, 67, 3615A Minerva; pneumonia.
R. C. Browning, 69, 3820 Bertin; myocarditis.
[illegible], 54, 4100 Camellia; apoplexy.

Fashion Fete and Sale Out of the Ordinary at Vandervoort's

Comprising the Most Distinctive Creations for Spring

The formal presentation of Spring Fashions is one of the most important events of the year and one that is of interest to every Saint Louisan. Our more than 100 Specialty Shops are in complete readiness to supply every requirement from Spring merchandise that has been garnered from all parts of the world by specialists in the various lines. Everything in the assemblage is the best for the price.

In addition to showing exclusive original models and unusually clever adaptations in our Ready-to-wear Shops, a special display will be made of the wonderful creations that were exhibited at the Wanamaker Store during the Ballet Russe performance in New York City. These garments and accessories are marvels of beauty in their unique designs and striking color-combinations, and cannot fail to arouse enthusiasm in all who see them.

We cannot emphasize too strongly the desirability of making selections for Easter at this time, while stocks are at their best, and thus avoid any possibility of disappointment arising from the uncertainty of foreign shipments.

We invite you to visit our store tomorrow—and as often during the week as you find convenient.



Costumes of Super-Elegance

A bewildering array of charming Spring fashions will greet the visitor to our Costume Salon tomorrow morning.

There are Evening, Dinner, Afternoon and Street Gowns in too great a variety of modes, fabrics and colorings for accurate descriptions. The collection is rich in its representation of such well-known originators of fashion as Paquin, Worth, Premet and Agnes—including, as it does, many original models, artistic reproductions and adaptations, suggestive of the newest style-ideas.

Beautiful effects are created in the clever combinations of materials. Afternoon Gowns show a marked tendency toward long and normal waist-lines, while the skirts are plain in the front and back and have attractive bouffant drapes at the sides.

A Creation of Special Note

A new Evening Gown that possesses Parisian chicness is developed from chiffon, with a Georgette slip-over of steel and rose beads; smartly finished with velvet ribbon veiled in chiffon, and has the new bracelet sleeves.

Prices range from $25.00 to $195.00

Third Floor.

In Our Inexpensive Dress Shop

The display in our Inexpensive Dress Shop is wonderfully complete and will be a revelation to many women who are unaware of our preparedness to supply their Dress needs at small cost.

All of the new fabrics and colorings are embraced in this interesting collection, among which are the practical styles for street and general wear, as well as clever adaptations of Period styles for afternoon and evening wear.

In one group there are Dresses of Georgette Crepe, Charmeuse, Faille, meteor, taffeta, crepe de chine and other fashionable fabrics—featuring all the styles that are characteristic of 1916. Price **$19.75**

Another group, that is equally attractive in variety of style and material, includes a pleasing assortment of the ultra-smart check models. These are exceptional values at **$14.75** and **$16.75**

Other Dresses as Low in Price as $5.00

Third Floor.

Women's Suits in Wide Variety



The skill of artists has produced some truly wonderful models in Women's Suits for Spring, not only in the elaborate creations for dress wear, but also in practical garments of smart style for the street.

Such distinctive features as high-standing, Dickens and Bishop collars, single and double-cape effects, flaring and slashed cuffs, puffed sleeves and chic vestees reflect the fashions of the Periods.

There is quite a variety of style in the coats this season, with choice of short, fancy models, flaring-hip coats, Etons and smart Norfolks.

Some of the skirts have plaits, some have yokes, while many are in plain styles with exceedingly full flare. There is no end to the range of colors and fabrics, with an unusually good selection of novelties.

Silk Suits of Unusual Attractiveness

The fancy Silk Suits are carried out in the newest silhouettes, and show elegant trimmings of silver, gold applique, hand-embroidery and touches of bright shades of velvet. Many of the skirts are finished with foot-ruffles of old-fashioned newness.

Cloth Suits are priced **$17.50** to **$95.00**
Silk Suits are priced **$27.50** to **$265.00**

Third Floor.

New Apparel for Mourning Wear

Individuality of style with the necessary dignity characterizes our Exhibit of Spring Apparel in the Mourning Shop.

We have Evening and Street Costumes of unusual becomingness, fashioned from Georgette crepe, chiffon taffeta, nets, and various combinations of Georgette and crepe de chine, charmeuse and silk faille—charmingly finished with touches of ribbons, braids and beads.

Exclusive models, without excessive cost, range in price upward from **$16.50**

Women's stylishly tailored Black Suits, in the season's best models and materials, with appropriate trimmings for mourning wear, are priced upward from **$19.75**

Tailored and fancy Black Blouses, for mourning wear, are made of taffeta, crepe de chine, Georgette crepe and taffeta. These are priced upward from **$2.95**

The Essential Mourning Accessories

All of the Mourning Accessories—such as Neckwear, Kerchiefs, Jewelry, Gloves, Stationery and Leather Goods, are also on display in our Mourning shop.

Special provision has been made for prompt service to those who cannot make personal selections, and a fitter will be sent to the home upon request.

Third Floor.

Women's Fashionable Topcoats



Among the new Coats for Women are the models that seem closely allied with those of the Sixteenth Century. There are huge ruffled collars and quaint single and double-cape effects that give these Coats distinguishing features of note.

Particular attention to detail is evident in the garments here shown, some of which are trimmed with two-toned leather and others depending upon trimmings of sharply contrasting colors for their individuality.

There are models for street, afternoon, automobiling and sports' wear, developed in materials appropriate for their various purposes.

Prices range as high as **$175**

Third Floor.

Becoming Spring Styles for Girls

Our exclusive Specialty Shop for Growing Girls of 6 to 16 years of age (intermediate) is in complete readiness for Spring.

The array of apparel in this Shop is so broad in its scope that those of limited income may make selections with the same assurance of satisfaction as those who require garments of the highest quality and most exclusive design.

Here you will find Girls' Inexpensive Dresses in attractive styles for school wear, exclusive Linen Frocks in tailored regulation and handsomely embroidered styles; also charming Frocks of Voiles, Batiste, Organdy and Net, in a variety of dainty modes suitable for confirmation, graduation and party wear.

Shoe-Top Suits, appropriate for girls of the in-between ages, are shown in the season's best materials and colors.

Top-Coats in the smartest models for early Spring are developed of such fabrics as Covert cloth, serge, mixtures, velour checks and silk.

Third Floor.

Organ, Piano and Victrola Recital
in Vandervoort's Auditorium
at 3 p. m. Wednesday, March 8th.
Mr. Wm. M. Jenkins, Organist
Mr. Jno. A. Rohan, Baritone
Mr. E. W. Elam, Pianist



Fashions of the Russian Ballet

Extensive preparations have been made for the display of Costumes, Suits, Negligees and various Accessories that have come to us direct from Wanamaker's of New York City—where they were exhibited during the Russian ballet performances. They are the thought and inspiration of Miss Walls, of Vandervoort's.

These wonderful creations will be shown on living models—Monday and Tuesday, between the hours of 11 and 12 a. m. and 2:30 and 3:30 p. m.—Third Floor.

Everyone should avail themselves of the opportunity to see these marvels of beauty in harmonious blendings of artistic designs and striking color-combinations.

Third Floor.

A Variety of Ribbons

A season of Ribbons is the Spring of 1916, with its many revivals of quaint period styles in which Ribbons are prominently featured.

Fashion demands that Ribbons shall ornament hats as well as frocks and every variety in favor is embraced in the new foreign and American lines that comprise our Spring stock. There are Faille, Moire, Taffeta, Satin, Picot Edge, Plaid, Bayadere stripe, Roman stripe and Messaline Ribbons—with many of the popular gold effects and stylish pompadours. The yard **65c** to **$12.50**

First Floor.

Women's Kid Gloves

Women Kid Gloves for Spring are shown in delightfully new rich shades and with various styles of fancy stitchings—all of which may be seen at Vandervoort's.

Two-clasp pique-sewn White Glace Kid Gloves with fancy two-tone old blue, mahogany, purple or black embroidery; also black with fancy white embroidery. The pair **$2.35**

Two-clasp Overseam Glace Kid Gloves in the newest shades of Beige, medium and battleship gray, gold, browns, black and white. The pair **$1.65**

Two-clasp pique-sewn Glace Kid Gloves with the latest style of embroidery in Beige, gray, biscuit, gold, browns, black and white. The pair **$1.85**

First Floor.

The Newest Petticoats

The selection of a Petticoat is not a matter of such little importance this Spring as in past seasons. The new style of skirts demands the wearing of flaring Petticoats, and our Spring line includes some very novel effects.

Petticoats of taffeta and soiree in plain and changeable effects, some having petal-shaped ruffles, others lavishly trimmed with lace and net. Prices **$5** to **$25**

Washable Satin Crepe de Chine and Silk Jersey Petticoats that have picoted and corded edges for the distension of their ruffles are priced **$3.95** to **$15**

Third Floor.

New Elitia Corsets

The trend of fashion for Spring demands special care in the selection of a Corset. The new Elitia models insure attainment of correct figure-lines and our corsetieres will take pleasure in fitting the one best adapted to your particular requirements.

Elitia Corset—model HT—is a fancy pink broche model with medium, high bust, finished with lace and ribbon and is reinforced over the abdomen. Price **$10**

Elitia Corset—model JM—of pink figured broche is designed for the large figure and is made with long skirt extension and medium bust. Price **$12.50**

Third Floor.

Vandervoort's Well-appointed Tea Room
Is a Splendid Place to Have Luncheon
Delicious Food—Prompt Service—Moderate Price

The Newest Millinery Modes



The choicest of new Millinery is represented in the collection of Headwear that has been assembled for our Spring Exhibition and Sale. Paris has sent its quota of new ideas and original models are here from such notable designers as Reboux, Marie, Louise, Leontine, Saget, Hermance, Julia and others of equal prominence.

There are also clever conceptions and adaptations by New York makers, as well as original models created by our own designers, that are highly artistic and of unusual becomingness.

The season promises an entirely new thought in Millinery. The Small Hats have a tendency toward extreme height, while the large Hats are just the opposite and have flat trimmings.

The new Sport Hats are oddly different. Among them you will find many models especially adapted for traveling.

The Newest Colors for Spring.

In addition to the always-popular black, the showing includes Quaker gray or Chasseur, Champignon—which is the new sand or mushroom shade; the new browns are known as Poussiere, or dust; Souvenance has a suggestion of the lighter tones of wistaria, and the new blue has been styled "Escadre."

Original French Hats, $25 to $60. *Sport Hats, $5 to $8.*
Hats designed in our own workroom, $10 to $50.

Third Floor.

Correct Spring Styles for Misses

Our Misses' Shop is showing some exclusive new style-combinations in Suits that have been adapted from original models by such notable designers as Lanvin, Cheruit, Lina Morton and Jenny.

The keynote of style in these charmingly youthful models is their tendency toward the Russian, Spanish and Directoire outlines.

The favorite Spring materials have been employed in their making and there are many handsome White Suits in the assortment sizes 15 to 18 years. Prices **$19.75** to **$110**

Frocks in Spring's Smartest Modes

Unusually clever are the Misses' and Small Women's Frocks for street and afternoon wear, with their new silhouettes and distinctive trimmings.

Third Floor.

The "New" in Women's Blouses



Charming modes and the daintiest of materials combine to make the Spring Blouses of uncommon beauty.

Our showing includes scores of Blouses, made of exquisite soft silks, Georgette and delicate chiffons, in a wide variety of shades and for which there is a great demand.

We would also call attention to the decidedly different creations that are fashioned from washable cotton fabrics, introducing distinctive color-touches in collar and sleeve trimmings.

Artistic, New Color Effects

Voile is probably the most popular of the lingerie Blouses and many are shown in pretty colors ornamented with fancy collars, stitching, buttons, etc., in white, giving them a chicness that is irresistible. Every one is up-to-the-minute in style and the prices are within the reach of all.

Third Floor.

"Wooltex" Garments for Spring

The successful blending of "conservativeness" and "fashion" has created some of the most attractive models of the season in Wooltex Garments. There are graceful Tailored Suits of wool velour and checks and the dressier models of taffeta and serge combinations, in the correct shades for Spring; sizes 16 years to 44 bust. Prices **$35** and **$39.50**

The Wooltex Coats are cleverly designed and the materials for choice include taffeta, gabardine, covert cloth, novelty effects and fancy coatings; sizes 16 years to 44 bust. Prices **$12.75** to **$25**

Third Floor.

Women's Sports Apparel Shop

The most novel styles have been produced in the new Sports Apparel by the selection of materials and colors that give the proper contrast for effectiveness.

These garments have not only been designed for attractiveness, but for general service and comfort in the pursuit of outdoor sports, as well.

Every material suitable for Sports Suits and Coats and Field Shirts is represented in this new Spring showing, and the color-combinations are varied enough to suit every requirement.

Third Floor.

Dress Skirts in Charming Styles



The new Dress Skirts are exceptionally graceful and artistic and are decidedly different from the skirts of "yesteryear."

Strikingly handsome are the models of White Pongee, Charmeuse, Taffeta and La Jerz—with smart combinations of rose color or Copenhagen. Skirts of Fancy Plaids and Stripes in most attractive colorings are also shown. Prices **$8.50** to **$28.75**

Darker tones, for street wear, are shown in supple silks, with latest ideas in trimmings. These are priced at **$5.95** to **$35**

Fancy Scotch mixtures, plaids, checks and various plain fabrics, in light and dark shades, have been employed in the making of many smart skirts for street and sport wear. Prices **$4.95** to **$14.75**

Washable Skirts, in the newest weaves and color effects, are shown in "Awning" and Oriental stripes, as well as in white and plain colors. Prices **$3.95** to **$14.75**

Third Floor.

Women's "Sorosis" Footwear

The new Sorosis Models are authoritative expressions of style-correctness in Women's Footwear for Spring. They are Shoes of artistic merit—perfect in design, and of the high quality for which this celebrated make is so well known.

Light-colored Footwear continues in vogue and we would like to have you see, especially, the High-top Kid Shoes which we are showing, in grays, mouse brown and white; the new Buckskin Shoes, in bisque, light and dark gray—and the new models in White Calf.

This display also includes the newest Pumps in Patent Leather, Dull Kid and Brown Calf. A more comprehensive assortment never was shown than that which you will see in our Sorosis Shoe Shop tomorrow morning.

Second Floor.

Diaghileff's Imperial Ballet Russe
Presented by the
Metropolitan Opera Company
at the Odeon Monday and Tuesday Nights.
Tickets on Sale at Our Cashier's Desk
on the First Floor.

Scruggs—Vandervoort—Barney
Established in 1850
OLIVE — LOCUST — NINTH — TENTH
The Best Goods for the Price No Matter What the Price

This Store Will Be the Clinical Headquarters Of the Visiting Nurses' Association of St. Louis during

National Baby Week

Daily clinics will take place as follows:

Monday at 10 A. M.—Pure Milk Commission Clinic.
Monday at 2 P. M.—Victor Street Clinic.
Tuesday at 10 A. M.—Holy Cross Clinic.
Tuesday at 2 P. M.—Boyle Center Clinic.
Wednesday at 10 A. M.—Victor Street Clinic.
Wednesday at 2 P. M.—Washington University Clinic.
Thursday at 10 A. M.—Pure Milk Commission Clinic.
Thursday at 2 P. M.—Markham Memorial Clinic.
Friday at 10 A. M.—Holy Cross Clinic.
Friday at 2 P. M.—Markham Memorial Clinic.
Saturday at 10 A. M.—Wesley House Clinic.
Saturday at 2 P. M.—Wesley House Clinic.

The Hair Goods Shop

The complete stock and splendid variety in this section is assurance of our ability to match the most unusual shades of hair.

Prices of first-quality Hair Switches range from $3.00 upwards, and the Transformations, $2.25 and upwards. Largest Human Hair Nets, **$1 dozen**
(Third Floor.)

Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co.

GRAND-LEADER SIXTH-WASHINGTON SEVENTH & LUCAS SAINT LOUIS

Calling Cards Specially Priced



50 Scotch Linen Calling Cards, printed in Tiffany Old English, together with patent Card Case. Men's size, 29c—Women's size, 39c

Invitations and Announcements at special prices.

(Mailed anywhere for 5c extra).
(Main Floor.)

Buy Wall Papers Here

—where you will save most, and where you have the most satisfactory variety for selection.

Due to enormous purchases from leading manufacturers, we present the most artistic collection of paper hangings we have ever offered.

The following special items for Monday:

2½c Roll—Bedroom and kitchen wall papers, regularly 5c.

6½c Roll — Bedroom Papers, in stripes, floral designs and allover effects, matched with cut-out borders. Regularly 12½c roll.

8½c Roll — Thirty-inch German-dyed Oatmeals—also Tapestry and Varnished Gold Papers. Worth 15c.

(Fourth Floor.)



Domestic Sit-Right Rotary Sewing Machines, at $28.65

We have just ten of these splendid Sewing Machines to sell at this price. They are guaranteed for ten years—have beautiful polished oak stands, ball-bearing throughout. Set of best nickel steel attachments.

Other Sewing Machine Specials—

Two Singer 66, Special, $29.75
White Rotary, Special, $27.50
Two Wheeler & Wilson, Special at $19.85
$25 Dropheads, Special, $16.50

You May Pay $1.00—Then $1.00 a Week.
We repair all makes of sewing machines. (Fifth Floor.)

Cut Glass at Reduced Prices



For Monday only, we offer the following extraordinary values:

$4.50 Cut Glass Vases, $2.98
Twelve-inch size, cut in rich floral designs on heavy polished lead blanks.

$3.50 Water Sets, 7 Pieces, $1.98
Cut in pretty floral designs, on medium weight blanks. Regular price $3.50 set.

$3.00 Bonbon Compotes, $1.98
Eight inches in height, and six inches in diameter across the top. Cut in attractive floral designs, as shown in illustration. Regular price $3.00.

(Fifth Floor.)



Bavarian China Dinner Sets, $19.75

Come in white and gold lace-border decoration. 100 pieces to the set, consisting of

12 Dinner Plates. *12 Breakfast Plates.*
12 Coup Soups. *12 Fruit Saucers.*
12 Teacups and 12 Saucers.
1 Open Vegetable Dish. *12 Individual Butters*
2 Meat Dishes. *1 Oblong Covered Dish.*
1 Round Covered Dish. *1 Covered Butter Dish.*
1 Pickle Dish. *1 Sauce Boat with fast stand.*
1 Sugar Bowl. *1 Cream Pitcher*

This being an open stock pattern, additional pieces may be secured at any time. The complete set sells regularly at $25.00.
(Fifth Floor.)

The March Sale of Rugs

—has established its supremacy from the viewpoint of best qualities, large varieties and greatest values.

Those having floor-covering requirements of the present or the near future, will commit a serious mistake in neglecting this March Sale with its unprecedented savings.

Special—$25.00 Seamless Axminster Rugs, $17.75—Superior grade Rugs, with rich deep pile, which insures hard wear. Size 9x9 feet.

$16 Axminster Rugs (6x9 Ft.), $11.85
Come in beautiful refined designs, which are especially desirable for large halls or reception rooms.

Seamless Brussels Rugs—special, $15
Come in patterns which are exact reproductions of high-grade English Body Brussels—refined designs. Size 9x12 feet.

Extra Large Axminster Rugs, $27.50
Excellent assortment of designs, suitable for large living rooms. Size 11 ft. 3 in. x 12 ft.

$37.50 Seamless Royal Wilton Rugs, $29.95
Art Loom Wilton Rugs, in beautiful small allover designs, for living room and dining rooms. Size 9x12 feet.

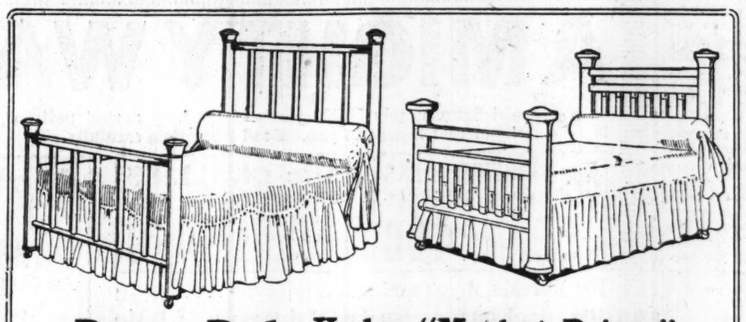
Wiltana Rugs—Very Special, $22.50
These Rugs are exact copies of the highest type Oriental Rugs—in beautiful, soft pastel colorings. Size 9x12 feet.

Crex Rugs—9x12-ft. Size, $7.50
Come in all the newest designs and colorings—with or without borders.

Scotch Art Rugs, $14.00
Size 9x12 feet—in beautiful solid color effects, in French gray, rose, blue, tan or green.

Inlaid Linoleums, Square Yard, 75c
Thirty patterns to choose from in block, tile, wood and geometrical designs. Extra heavy.

85c Linoleums, Square Yard, 49c
Potters "D" grade, four-yard-wide Linoleums — the heaviest grade on the market—all running patterns.
(Fourth Floor.)



Brass Beds Under "Market Prices"

An offering that is of exceptional interest in connection with the great Sale of Bedding.

Special at $29.95
Brass Beds, three-inch posts, with double square top rails of 2½-inch stock—all cadet mounted vases and extra reinforced head and footboard.

Special at $16.75
Brass Beds, with two-inch posts, square top rails, one-inch fillers. Same bracing construction as used on heavy beds. Regular $20.50 value.

Two-inch Continuous-post Steel Beds—in white or vernis Martin, any size—special at $2.95

Hair Mattresses—45-pound weight. White and gray curled hair, covered with heavy ticking. Choice, while a limited lot lasts, **$19.95**

Englander "Lifetime" Guaranteed Bed Springs—High riser and reinforced center braces. Special, **$5.75**
(Sixth Floor.)

Sales in Housewares

Featuring household utensils electrically "propelled," but also including many other articles of utility—and all very specially priced for Monday.



Coffee Percolators, $2.98
As illustrated—made of heavy gauge aluminum, with aluminum inset, glass top, ebony wood handle. Nine-cup capacity. Makes delicious coffee.

Electric Percolators, $5.89
"Thermax" Electric Coffee Percolators of seven-cup capacity. Made of copper, highly nickel-plated, fitted with universal aluminum inset, glass top. Can be used on direct and alternating current.

$1.25 Waffle Irons, 89c
No. 8 size — "Griswold" make. High rim, and for use on gas or gasoline stoves. usually $1.25.

$1.25 Food Choppers, 79c
"Griswold". Food Choppers, chop all kinds of raw and cooked food. Made with separate knives. Usually $1.25.

Electric Irons, $3.95
Make ironing easy. Can be used on direct or alternating current — element guaranteed five years. Complete with cord and plug.

Wash Boilers, $2.45
No. 8 size—made of all copper, with flat bottom, stationary wood handles, and tight-fitting rim cover.

Washing Powder, 8 Packages, 25c
Swift's "Pride" Washing Powder, for kitchen and laundry use. Regularly 5c package. Limit of eight packages to a customer, and no mail or phone orders filled.



Casseroles Priced $1.50
Round and oval styles—highly nickel-plated, with frames in neat pierced design. Side handles and footed. Fitted with fireproof baking dish and cover.



Electric Toasters, $2.50
As pictured—exceptionally well made, highly nickel-plated, and with element guaranteed five years. Toast two pieces of bread at one time. Complete with cord and plug. (Fifth Floor.)

Basement Basement

New Spring Suits

$10.00 $12.75 $15.00

Copies of High-Priced Models

Splendid values in the Basement Ready-to-Wear Section is evidenced in these splendid Suits at moderate prices.



Two of the Styles

They are copies of high-price garments — all materials — wool poplins, men's wear serges, wool checks, whipcords, homespuns and silk combinations.

A Wide Color Choice, Also Shepherd Checks, Plaids and Black.

Norfolk, Country Club, loose flare, smartly trimmed and semi-tailored styles.

All sizes from 14 years to 44-inch bust measurement.

New Spring Coats, Special, $5.00

Belted, yoke and flare models—of whipcords, wool poplins, serges, mixtures, wool checks and plaids.

Many are lined with peau de cygne—others are unlined.

Special values at $5.00—others at $6.98 and upwards to $10.00.

New Silk Dresses, $16.50

This sale price is for one day only.

Included are high-class garments, many of them lined with silk—made of Georgette crepe, crepe de chine and charmeuse—also a few of taffeta.

Colors—rose, pearl gray, plum, green, Copenhagen blue, navy and Belgian blue, and a few blacks. Sizes for women and misses.
(Basement.)

Basement Basement

Annual Sale of Bedding

For many months we have been preparing for this great Sale of Bedding, and have succeeded in assembling the greatest collection of staple merchandise of all kinds coming under this classification, all of which will be offered at savings quite unprecedented. Not in the near future will you duplicate the prices quoted in this sale.

75c Bleached Sheets, 50c Each
Bleached, seamless sheets, size 81x90 inches, usually 75c, at **50c each**
(No mail or phone orders filled.)

69c Sheets, 45c Each
Bleached, seamless Sheets, size 72x90 inches, regularly 69c, at **45c each**

75c Sheets, 50c Each
Heavy bleached Sheets, for ¾ beds—size 63x90 inches. Regular 75c qualities, **50c each**

Pequot and Utica Sheets
These well-known brands are known to be the best wearing and washing cottons obtainable. Priced far below value.

54x90 in.,	59c	72x99 in.,	77c
63x90 in.,	65c	81x90 in.,	77c
63x99 in.,	71c	81x99 in.,	83c
72x90 in.,	71c	90x99 in.,	95c

89c Scalloped Sheets, 63c Ea.
Ready-made, bleached and seamless Sheets, scalloped, size 81x90 inches, regularly 89c, at **63c each**
Pillowcases to match, size 45x36 inches, **17c each**
(No mail or phone orders filled.)

25c Tickings, 15c Yd.
Heavy 8-oz. Indigo blue and fancy colored striped Feather Tickings, 32 and 36 inches wide—regularly 25c, at **15c yard**

12c Pillow Casing, 8c Yd.
Soft finished, bleached Pillowcase cottons, 42 inches wide, usually 12c yard, at, 8c

Quilted Bed Pads, $1.75 Ea.
Bleached muslin covered quilted Bed Pads, for Cribs, single, three-quarters and double beds, at special prices.
Size 54x76 inches, **$1.75 each**

Sea Island Muslins, 5c Yard
Unbleached Sea Island Muslins, 39 inches wide, regularly 8½c yard—special at **5c yard**

Pequot Pillowcase Tubings
One of the best seamless bleached Pillow Tubings.
Regular 22c Pillow Tubing, 36 inches wide, **15c**
Regular 25c Pillow Tubing, 42 inches wide, **17c**

Fruit-of-Loom Sheetings
Heavy, bleached, Fruit-of-Loom Sheetings in all widths—priced at less than the present mill cost. Lengths from 3 to 10 yards.

42 in.,	12c	63 in.,	21c
45 in.,	15c	72 in.,	23c
54 in.,	18c	81 in.,	25c
		90 in.,	28c

Bedspreads, $1 Each
Heavy white crochet Bedspreads in Marseilles designs—double bed size, 78x88 inches. Regular $1.39 kinds, at **$1 each**

Pillowcases, 12½c Each
Extra heavy, bleached, Pillowcases, sizes 42x36 and 45x36 inches, special at, **12½c ea.**

Extra Length Sheets, 59c Each
Ready-made, extra length sheets, size 2¼x2¾ yards—usually 80c—special at **59c ea.**

Feather Pillows, 39c Each
Pillows filled entirely with clean odorless feathers. Coverings are remnants and odd lengths of good tickings—weight 3 lbs. each—usually 65c special at **39c each**

Baby Crib Blankets
Soft-fleeced, pink-and-white, also blue-and-white cotton Eider Down Baby Crib Blankets.
30x40 inches, 35c each
36x50 inches, 49c each

Feather Pillows, $2.50 Pair
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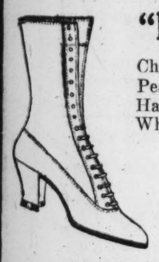
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THE Serge Diaghileff Ballets Russes Company, which begins tomorrow night an engagement of four performances at the Odeon, brings for the first time to this city an entertainment which has been acclaimed both in America and abroad as a genuine new art-form—a synthesis on an unprecedented scale of dancing, pantomime, music, scenery and costuming into wordless but telling drama. It is strictly a birth of the twentieth century, for the Diaghileff Ballet was introduced to the Occident in 1909 at Paris; and it is the Slav race's most sumptuous contribution to man's conquests in the demesne of beauty.

The company, after brilliant triumphs, during the last seven years in the capitals of Europe, is making its first American visit, under the management of the Metropolitan Opera House. It appears here, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights and at a matinee Tuesday afternoon, under the auspices of the Grand Opera Committee.

Corps de Ballet of 70.

There are 16 principal dancers, male and female, a corps de ballet of 70, and an orchestra of 75 pieces, recruited in this country by Nahan Franko. The company has appeared in New York, Boston, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Kansas City. At the end of the opera season in New York, it will fill an engagement of four weeks at the Metropolitan Opera House.

There is an interesting report that the Diaghileff Ballet hads its inspiration in Isadora Duncan, the American dancer. It is well known that Russia has no equal in the development of the technique of dancing, but this virtuosity of toe and bodily acrobatics was hardening into a lifeless convention.

The Duncan's dancing, amateurish technically, but abounding in life and soul, was a revelation to the Russians. One of them, Mihail Fokine, a ballet master, asked the question whether it would not be possible to unite the two systems, the incomparable Russian technique and Isadora Duncan's spirit, into something greater than either. Of this question the Diaghileff Ballet was born.

Fokine's idea was considered revolutionary at the Russian Imperial Ballet and he had to wait several years before he could see it developed into reality. At last he found a financier in Serge Diaghileff, a noted art connoisseur, who, after failing as editor of an advanced art journal, had made money by producing in Paris the little known operas of his countrymen.

Opportunity for Fame.

The new evangel of dancing drew to it at once the best artists of Russia, who found here an opportunity for fame and fortune. The first to enlist was Leon Bakst, a painter, then almost unknown, but whose gorgeous scenery and costumes for the Diaghileff Ballet have made him a world celebrity. It is said of him that he "orchestrates in colors," and that he views scenery "not as landscape or architecture, but as painting into which the human figures have not yet been limned."

George Bernard Shaw has declared that Bakst's costume designs for the ballet have for five years furnished the chief inspiration for women's fashions in dances. A recruit of equal importance was Igor Stravinsky, the young Russian composer, who found his forte in writing ballet music and at one bound sprang from obscurity to renown.

For want of a title still undiscovered the new art-form is termed "ballet," but this is a misnomer, for it comprehends far more than dancing. It might be called "silent opera," for it has all of the elements of opera save words and vocal song; but the absence of these requires as compensation an intensification of the other factors such as opera has never known. It is pantomime, for it is acting without words, but it also includes dancing.

But while it is dancing, based on the inimitable Russian technique, this physical virtuosity is not displayed as an end, but as a plastic means for dramatic narration. Wagnerian opera demands illustrative music; but the Diaghileff Ballet exacts orchestration of such specific realism as to supply to the greatest possible extent the place of words.

Music Written for Ballet.

It is conceded that Diaghileff for the first time accomplished his ideals completely in the ballets to which Stravinsky wrote the music. Previously the ballets had been built up around music already existing. Now the far more effective and precise method was available of having the music written to fit the ballet's action. Disappointment will be general, therefore, because the St. Louis program includes not a single one of the Stravinsky ballets. His "Fire Bird" and "Petrouchka" were performed in New York, Boston and Chicago and aroused more interest, at least musically, than any of the others. This would have been the St. Louis public's first opportunity to make the acquaintance of the works of the "Wagner of the ballet" and "the most vital of modern forces in the music world."

Representatives of the company explain that the "Fire Bird" demands a stage space 60 feet high, and that "Petrouchka" calls for four sets of scenery, one behind the other. The Odeon stage, they say, is inadequate in height and depth for these requirements.

However, the Russian compositions will be presented, which, although old in Europe and known in a few American cities, are, so far as can be recalled, novelties in St. Louis. First of these is the music to the "Danses Polovtsiennes," taken from Borodine's opera, "Prince Igor," which received its first American production at the Metropolitan this winter. The others are Rimsky-Korsakow's "Sun of Night," Balakireff's "Thamar," and the music to "Cleopatre," arranged by Arensky from compositions by Tanejeff, Rimsky-Korsakow, Glinka and Glauzounow.

For the rest, so far as the music goes, the performances will proffer nothing new. Rimsky-Korsakow's suite, "Sheherazade," Tschaikowsky's "La Princesse Enchantee" and Debussy's "L' Apres-midi d'un Faune" have been played here by the Symphony Orchestra; the music for the "Rose Ghost" is the familiar Weber-Berlioz "Invitation to the Dance," the music for the ballet, "Carnaval," is Schumann's universally known piano suite of that name, orchestrated by Russian composers; and that for "Les Sylphides" is a patchwork of Chopin waltzes, mazurkas and preludes, arranged for orchestra.

Another disappointment, but one for which we have been prepared, is the absence from the company's personnel of Fokine, called the greatest of modern revolutionaries in dancing; of Najinsky, hailed as the world's foremost male dancer; and of Mme. Karsavina, whom some critics rank second only to Anna Pavlowa among women dancers. Fokine was not expected from the first to come to America; Nijinsky is said to be a prisoner of war in Austria; and Mme. Karsavina, according to representatives of the Metropolitan, presented her husband with an heir two weeks ago in Russia.

The Diaghileff Ballet, to be sure, prides itself upon developing the ensemble rather than the star system. It presents, however, among its principals a few dancers whose fame is known in this country. Lydia Lopokowa, a former member of the company, was recruited in New York.

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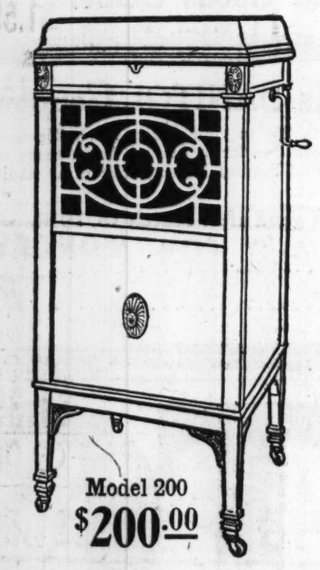
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Flore Ravalles is a celebrated French mime and opera singer. Hilda Bewicka, an English woman, was for several years a pupil of Pavlowa.

Among the men are the famous youths, Adolph Bolm and Leonide Massine, not to mention Enrico Cecchetti, who at the age of 74 is ballet master of the troupe and even assumes some of the dancing roles.

In the company's repertory of more than 20 ballets, only 10 will be presented in St. Louis, and six of these will be performed twice. But these include Diaghileff's most sensational successes, "Sheherazade," "Cleopatre," "Thamar" and "L' Aprei-midi d'un Faune."

Bakst designed scenery and costumes for the four ballets; his setting of "Sheherazade" is considered his masterpiece, and was the first to win him universal renown. "Sheherazade" is a pantomimic version of the prelude to "The Arabian Nights;" out of deference to a prejudice little known in Europe, the negro slaves with whom the ladies of the harem make merry in the absence of the Sultan have been considerably bleached in the American production. "L' Apres-midi d'un Faune," which fell foul of the censor in New York because of the faun's flirtations with a scarf dropped by a fleeing nymph, has been slightly expurgated.

The Ten Ballets.

The ten ballets to be given here, with some description of them, are as follows:

SHEHERAZADE: Persian tale in one act by Leon Bakst and Mihail Fokine; music by Rimsky-Korsakow, choreography by Fokine, scenery and costumes by Bakst.

LE SPECTRE DE LA ROSE ("The Rose Ghost"): Tableau adapted by Vaudoyer from Gautier's poem of a young girl who, returning from a ball, dreams that her rose turns into a lover who dances with her and at dawn leaps from the window. Music by Weber and Berlioz, scenes and dances by Fokine, scenery and costumes by Bakst.

PRINCE IGOR: Polovtsian dances in the military camp of a legendary Russian hero; music by Borodine, scenes and costumes by L. Roerich, a pupil of Bakst; choreographey by Fokine.

CARNAVAL: A dramatization of the fanciful titles which Schumann gave to the pieces in his humorous piano suite; pantomime-ballet by Fokine; scenery and costumes by Bakst, tumes by Bakst.

LA PRINCESSE ENCHANTEE ("The Enchanted Princess"): Classic pas de deux portraying the fairy story of "The Sleeping Beauty;" music by Tschaikoswky, scenes and costumes by Baskt.

SOLEIL DE NUIT ("Sun of Night"): music by Rimsky-Korsakow, dances by Massine, scenes and costumes by Larionow.

CLEOPATRE ("Cleopatra"): Fokin's ballet version of a story by Gautier, in which a youth trades his life for one night of the Egyptian Queen's love. Music arranged by Arensky, scenes and costumes by Bakst.

L'APRES-MIDI D'UN FAUNE ("The Afternoon of a Faune"): portraying a faun in perplexed pursuit of nymphs who always flee him, and described as a Greek frieze set in motion. Music by Claude DeBussy, choreographic tableau by Nijinsky, scenes and costumes by Bakst.

LES SYLPHIDES ("The Sylphs"): A romantic revery; music by Chopin, scenes by Doboujinsky, costumes by Benois.

THAMAR: The story of a Lorelei who allures her lovers to an enchanted tower by a river; the next morning their dead bodies go floating down the stream. Choreographic drama, scenery and costumes by Bakst; music by Balakireff.

Program for Principals.

The programs for the engagement and the principal dancers taking part are:

Monday night—"Sheherazade," Revalles, Bolm, Cecchetti, Wasilewska; "The Rose Ghost," Lopokova and Alexandre Gavrilloff, a pupil of Nijinsky; "Prince Igor," Bolm and Tchernicheva; "Carnaval," Lopokova, Bolm, Massine, Cecchetti, Wasilewska, Tchernicheva.

Tuesday matinee—"Carnaval;" "The Enchanted Princess," Lopokova and Bolm; "Sun of Night," Massine and Zwerew; "Cleopatre," Revalles, Bolm, Gavrilow, Bewicka, Sokolova, Pianowski.

Tuesday night—"Sheherazade;" "The Afternoon of a Faun," Massine, Tchernicheva, Pflanz, Klementovich, Sokolova; "Prince Igor;" "The Sylphs," Lopokova, Tchernicheva, Wasilewska, Gavrilow.

Wednesday night—"Thamar," Revalles and Bolm; "The Rose Ghost," "Sun of Night" and "Cleopatre."

The ballet, "Cleopatre," will be seen here for the second time in America, its first performance having been given in Chicago. It was not in the company's American repertory, under its contract with the Metropolitan. It was the first ballet which Diaghileff's troupe presented in Paris, seven years ago.

On this tour the company has the most adequate orchestra it has ever possessed, whether in Paris, London, Berlin or Petrograd. Friedrich Fradkin, a concert violinist of note in Germany and England, does not play in the orchestra, but is employed to perform the solo violin parts in "Sheherazade" and a few other ballets. His instrument is said to be a $15,000 Stradivarius. Sam Franko is concertmaster.

To make space for the orchestra, three rows of seats have been removed from the Odeon.

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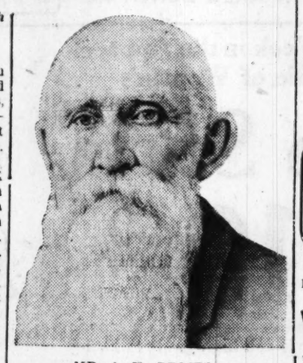
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What Shakspeare Did to Win World's Tribute for Three Centuries

Review of His Life and Works Given in View of the Coming Tercentenary Commemoration of His Death.

William Shakspeare.

Born, April 23, 1564. Died, April 23, 1616.

Tercentenary of His Death, April 23, 1916.

By CLARENCE STRATTON.

Instructor of English, Central High School.

WHAT would you do if you were 21 years old, had a wife eight years your senior, were the father of three children, two of them twins, and having been leniently treated in repeated appearances before a Justice of the Peace, were finally severely reprimanded for the frequency of your misdemeanors? Don't you believe you would decide that you had better mend your ways and make something of yourself?

At any rate, that seems to have been what William Shakspeare planned to do when Sir Thomas Lucy, on whose game preserves young William and his companions had often poached, came down heavily upon the offenders. If you had a natural knack at rendering judicial pomposity ridiculous by stringing rhymes together, you might take a parting fling to be enjoyed after your departure from your usual haunts and had gone up to the city to make name and fortune.

This is exactly what Shakspeare did, if we can believe all the indications and traditions. London was his goal. London was his treasure trove; and thither he fared at 21, alive with the relish of nearly all the experiences that seldom are allotted to youth.

His family had known affluence and position; it had sunk to poverty and obscurity; his father had been so chagrinned that he could no longer intrude into town councils; the future poet had gone a-wooing in the delightful shottery fields a woman, not a girl, and successful in his attentions beyond all hopes of his teens, he had with some bewilderment to himself, doubtless, become in rapid succession a husband and a father.

Carried Pranks Too Far.

He had carried his boyish pranks too far; the home town was no longer comfortable, so with audacious courage and a heart for any fate, those same qualities that sent Raleigh across the Atlantic to colonize America, and Drake to circumnavigate the globe, the young villager sallied up to the metropolis to feast or fall, to drink or drown.

Feast and drink he did, deep and copiously, but not at once. The great triumphs of the world do not come suddenly at all to the people who seem to flash like meteors across a world's startled gaze.

Just how did Shakspeare drift to the theater? As country lad he doubtless knew and loved horses. One Burbage owned both a livery stable and the first playhouse in London—the theater. Shakspeare held horses outside for gallants who attended the play. That was enough. The youth's native wit and English common sense did all the rest.

Had he been younger he might have found his way to the stage itself through acting women's parts. Then we could trace his later marvelous searching of feminine nature back to his interpretations. But it should be borne in mind always that he knew how to write plays because he knew the stage so well from having trod and declaimed upon it. London knew him first as actor, in fact never forgot that he was one. The usual citizen knew him as that, rather than as great dramatist.

What a pity it is we have no file of programs from which we might pick with certainty the roles he essayed, how unfortunate no criticisms of his acting remain. We hear merely that he was "excellent in the quality he professes," and that he "did act exceedingly well." Such phrases do not satisfy us, though they are high praise for an actor in the company of the great Burbage. Shakspeare appeared often before Queen Elizabeth and King James I. He seems to have been cast frequently as old men.

"Strong and Lusty."

His brother said he acted Adam in "As You Like It." Perhaps the dramatist knowingly described himself, when just before old Adam insists he will follow his master Orlando into the woods, he made this character assert, "Though I look old, yet I am strong and lusty."

Shakspeare very likely played the elder Hamlet in his own masterpiece, where the demands made upon the actor of the Ghost are not slight ones. First of all, he must be tall, of imposing physique, he must look the majesty of buried Denmark, and all the more so in Elizabethan times when there was no clever device of painting his face grave green and secreting a small electric light beneath the visor of his helmet to illumine his ghostly visage.

The performer of today is aided so materially by gauze screens, spot lights, vanishing perspectives, dark auditoriums, makeup, phosphorescent paint, that the actor can easily make a good ghost, if he possess the one absolute necessity—a voice.

Shakspeare had to act extremely convincingly in the Globe Theater under an afternoon sky, and upon an almost bare stage, with spectators not 12 feet distant, if he wanted his audiences to feel, as did the Danish Prince, their blood run cold and their flesh creep under their doublets. Big, round, sonorous, his voice must have been, rolling out its horrifying tale to make each individual hair to stand on end like quills upon the fretful porcupine. It must have surged up from beneath the stage to reinforce Hamlet's "swear" as though issuing from its sulphurous sepulcher.

Knowledge of the Stage.

We know that the dramatist acted in a bitter comedy and a stately Roman tragedy by Ben Jonson, his friend and crony, but in just which roles we cannot determine. So he must have acted many years, if not during his entire theatrical career, and he must have known in every possible manner all the situations demanded by effective plays, and all the varieties of characters effective in arousing the feelings of an audience.

He knew good acting from bad, and he had Hamlet tell the strolling players what he expected of them in the Danish court.

Every time a play was revised parts of it had to be rewritten; every time a company went into the provinces parts had to be cut to dispense with characters. The youngster who had lampooned a country Justice in verse need not wait very long for employment of this kind. Shakspeare probably began writing by "ghosting," that is, by writing into some old play a new speech, a new scene, a new situation, or even changing a conclusion.

Traces of this work are doubtless in "Titus Andronicus" and the three parts of "Henry VI." This was his apprenticeship, his five finger exercise, but it gave him, unworthy though we consider it when compared with his unfettered craftmanship, that experience, that certainty of means, that skill in securing an effect, that ease in thinking in blank verse, which made his proficiency so marvelous that Ben Johnson declared the players had told him that whatsoever Shakspeare "penned he never blotted (that is, erased) a line." Two fellow actors added their testimony in print that "what he thought he uttered with that easiness that we have scarce received from him a blot in his papers."

That is the reason why he could produce in some twenty years, 40 distinct works—37 plays, including many of the world's masterpieces, two long narrative poems, and 154 remarkable sonnets. Thirty-seven plays, over 100 lines, more than 800 perfectly recognizable, distinct characters! On the average two plays a year—this left the busy actor little time for anything else. Yet he seems to have been a man capable of anything.

Became a Moneyed Man.

He did not neglect his family in Stratford-on-Avon. He returned to his native town, freed his father

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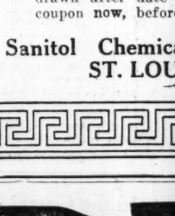
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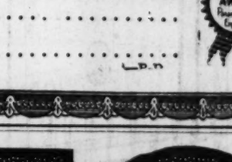
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How did he do all this? Genius is the only possible answer, though there may be evidences of the way Genius works. First of all, he knew what he wanted to do; secondly, he knew how to do it. Shakspeare wanted to produce dramas, so he produced consistently. He felt popular taste, for he wanted to be a successful playwright. He learned that audiences wanted certain quite well defined kinds of plays. So he finished a light, fantastic, sentimental comedy of mistakes in love, calling it "Love's Labor's Lost," a comedy which remains even today a good acting play, though not a great one. Shakspeare invented the plot for this story, but he soon discovered that if he wanted to take advantage of the vacillating popular tastes he must work rapidly, so he relinquished the literary glory of inventing stories, borrowed plots right and left, and threw all his energy into delineating living characters by means of flexible, beautiful poetry. He tried Italian themes, he imitated the old Latins, and then came his chance with a tremendous success in "Romeo and Juliet."

Reputation in London.

That assured his place and brought forth the surest proof of his reputation in London, the protesting criticism of an unsuccessful dramatist, Robert Green, who called Shakspeare an "upstart crow, beautified with our feathers, * * * supposes he is as well able to bombast out a blank verse with the best of you, and being an absolute Johannes factotem is, in his own conceit, the only Shake-scene in the country." That proves the popularity and success of the new writer, and that, too, within five years after his joining the stage.

Much depended on the next effort, its success or failure. Crowds were attending regularly a rival playhouse to see Christopher Marlowe's bloody and strenuous tragedies. English history in "Edward II" was firing men's loyal hearts. Shakspeare tried to draw them off with "Richard II" and the more villainous "Richard III." Then Marlowe changed his material, for the patriotic interest aroused by the defeat of the Spanish Armada in 1588 was abating somewhat, and all London was being stirred by the trial and execution of the Queen's Jewish physician. So he put on "The Jew of Malta." At once his rival seized the lead, and soon all the city had seen "The Merchant of Venice," and was exclaiming, "My daughter, oh, may daughter; my ducats, oh, my ducats!"

When Marlowe was stabbed in a tavern brawl at 29, his tragedies had taught Shakspeare all they could. The latter had never had a rival in comedy. From now on he was able to develop naturally and speedily into the "marvel of his age." In almost astounding succession follow the brilliant comedies, "Midsummer Night's Dream," the lesson to all wives in "The Taming of the Shrew," the glorification of good fellowship and wine bibbing in the Falstaff of three successive dramas, one of them written in two weeks to please Queen Elizabeth, up to the greatest patriotic drama England ever knew, "Henry V."

Then something happened. This sunny nature which could gambol in the midsummer moonlight with fairies, transform Rosalind into a runaway boy, send Malvolio to smirk before his grieving mistress, and carouse in London alehouses with Doll Tearsheet, felt between the years of 35 and 40 some change within himself. Sobering, perhaps tragic, it made him realize that life was not all beer and hot ginger, careless pranks and easy lovemaking. Of the man himself during the next years we know little, but the man who could write Hamlet's soliloquies must have been a different man from the one who let Sir Toby Belch riot all night in Maria's wine cellar. Yet these years drew from the master mind the supreme triumphs of all his art and experience. Can the world's literature surpass the treatments of vaulting ambition in "Macbeth," of infuriating jealousy in "Othello," of impotent dotage in "Lear," of passionate abandon in "Antony and Cleopatra," and transcending all others, of the tortured soul in "Hamlet?"

Could we demand more from any single brain? Could any mind go further? Only Shakspeare could, not higher perhaps, but still onward. Three later plays make us believe the dramatist found peace after tumult, joy after stress, delight after despair. All three of them, even-tempered, placid, end happily, with dire sorrows never very near. Imogen finds her husband and her brothers, and Cymbeline forgives them all; the portrait statue comes to life, Hermione is reunited to her husband and her son, and the saddening realities of life seem to us no more than "A Winter's Tale."

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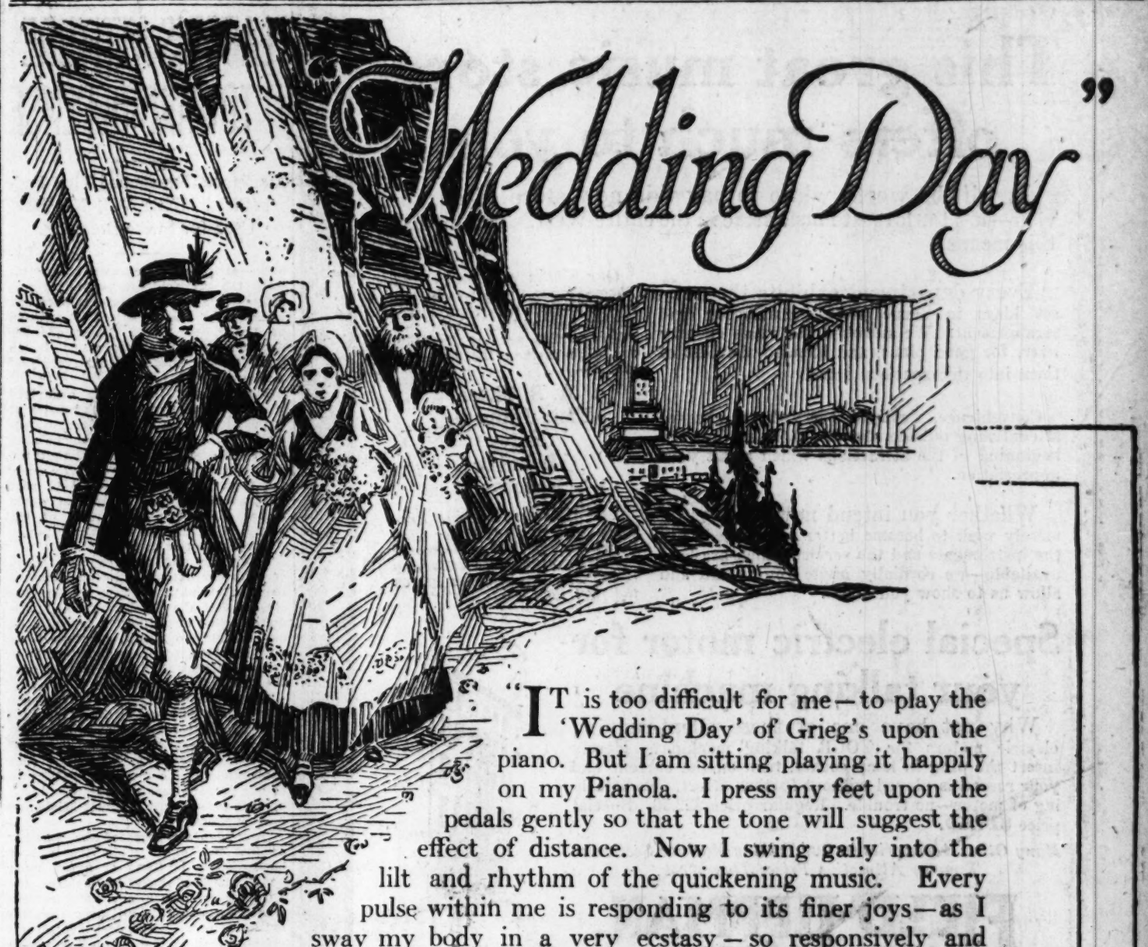
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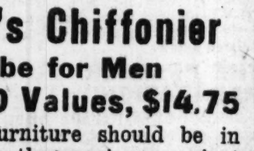
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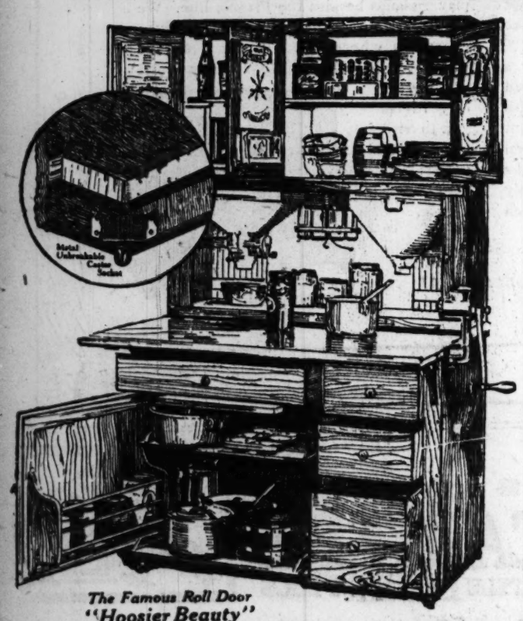
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Assurances Demanded That Federalized Militia Will Not Be Used for Strike-Breaking.

The attitude of organized labor toward the preparedness movement was defined in a letter by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, to Robert Bacon, former Ambassador to France, which Bacon read at the Conference of Mayors yesterday.

Gompers said that while organized labor was in favor of preparedness it wished to have assurances that a federalized state militia would not be used for strike-breaking purposes, that the cost would not fall too heavily upon the poor, but would be paid in part by a graduated income tax that would throw a considerable portion of the burden upon those most able to pay.

Gompers' letter follows:

"The tests and dangers that have come to our nation in the past months impel all thinking citizens to the conclusion that the development and ultimate destiny of our nation depend upon our thinking out and adopting some well apprehended plan for national development that shall be in accord with the ideals for which America stands.

"During times of peace we have been able to muddle along somehow, but the degree of success which we have attained has been due to the vastness of our resources and the greatness of our opportunity and not to our intelligence or our preparedness to direct our development according to the best ideals and best methods.

"Any plan for preparedness, whether against war or to make the best of opportunities in times of peace, must be a sustained effort to achieve the purposes for which our Government was instituted. We all know that the existence of an ideal does not give it effectiveness in the life of a nation without intelligent forethought and well-directed purpose.

"America stands for liberty and justice, but there must be not only the will, but the power to establish a definite liberty and justice if they are to become real forces in our national life.

"Our Government must have some agencies for self-defense and against encroachments upon the rights and liberties of our citizens. Preparedness for this purpose must be in accord with the fundamental principles of our Government, with the principles of human welfare. Defense as well as the furtherance of these principles is the duty of all the citizens of the nation. According to this concept, military institutions and military training are a part of the life of the people and must be in harmony with the spirit, the ideals and purposes of civic life. The danger that lurks in military institutions arises from any tendency that would isolate these from civic life and that would tend to set up castes and institutions at variance with civic ideals.

"Any leaning towards isolation is contrary to the spirit of democracy. Where the spirit of democracy is absent, there is afforded opportunity for a perversion of military institutions and for the inherent vicious dangers of militarism. The ideal of the labor movement is democracy; therefore, the organized labor movement in America insists that the spirit of democracy must pervade and direct all plans for preparedness.

"Opportunities equal in fact as well as in theory must be afforded to all citizens to secure military training, not only for service in the rank and file, but for entering the profession of officers.

"The labor movement favors such policies for preparedness as would inculcate an appreciation of the duties and obligations that are the inevitable accompaniment of the rights and privileges of citizens.

"Preparedness for military service is only a small part of the general preparation that will enable every citizen to do his duty in all relations of society. It includes all institutions that have to do with education, physical training and the best development of all the faculties and powers of the individual citizens.

"As war is conducted now, it is an economic contest as well as a contest between the soldiers on the battlefield. In war time, a nation is hampered or is aided by the spirit that prevails between employers and the workers in industries and commerce. During the actual fighting, the Government in a large degree takes over and becomes responsible for the maintenance of industrial justice. It is evident, therefore, that no nation can be successful in war without the co-operation of the wage-earners, and no plan for preparedness can be effective that does not secure the indorsement of the masses of the citizens. I wish, therefore, to urge for consideration at this particular time these matters.

"The organized labor movement will not permit the establishment of agencies for defense that can ever be used for the oppression of the people. In times past, state militias have been used as strike-breaking agencies. Organized labor will make determined opposition to any plan that does not make provisions for the protection of their industrial as well as their civic rights.

"The burden of taxation for preparedness must not fall upon the poor. Additional revenues can better be provided by changes in the income tax, so graduated as to fall heaviest upon those best able to pay.

"If the plan now under consideration to federalize the state militias is adopted, it must include provisions against their further use in suppression of strikes and must be carefully studied with reference to the constitutionality of such a course of action.

"This republic of ours is too precious to us to permit it to be overawed, threatened or invaded; the rights and liberties of our people are too sacred to be frittered away by incompetency or impotency or internal wrangling; the conservation of the human welfare side of our people must not be bartered away to satisfy private profit or avarice. To be worthy of our great republic, to safeguard the theories, principles and high ideals upon which it is based and for which it strives, all must be willing to do their full share in its preservation and perpetuation."

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"I can say to anybody in the world that Tanlac has been a real God-send to my husband and to me," Mrs. Mary Hurst of 1227 North Twelfth street, St. Louis, stated.

"We have both received real benefit from it.

"I suffered from stomach trouble, nervous indigestion and catarrh of the stomach. Every bone in my body ached. My appetite was poor; that and loss of sleep brought on a general run-down condition.

"But since I have taken Tanlac, my indigestion has entirely disappeared, my appetite is fine, and my nerves are better and stronger. I am glad to say that my bones no longer feel as if they were going to break. I sleep like a child."

Referring to her husband's great improvement by the use of Tanlac, Mrs. Hurst stated:

"My husband, Mr. Sam Hurst, who is a trained nurse, broke down in health over four years ago. He suffered with rheumatism and neuralgia of the muscles. But while he received many different treatments and tried many different medicines, no good came of them. Tanlac has made him feel better than he had for many months, and he tells me that if he continues to improve as he has in the past two or three weeks, he will soon be out and working."

Thousands of men and women praise Tanlac for just such benefits as those described by Mrs. Hurst as having been gained by her and her husband through the use of Tanlac. Tanlac builds health and strength through the stomach, blood and nerves. Tanlac is purely vegetable.

Typical Tributes

MRS. A. HARMELING, 3410 East Marcus av.: "I suffered from general run-down condition. When I managed to eat anything I was immediately troubled with gassy, bloated stomach. Every slight noise bothered me. I am glad to recommend Tanlac because it has made me feel like a new woman. My whole system seems to have undergone a change for the better."

of Stomachs & Their Owners

Seriously ask any dozen of your acquaintances who have reached or passed middle age how they feel.

At least one will say: "I am not at all well lately. I guess I am wearing out—stomach seems to have left me; I am getting along, you know—nearly forty."

Think how many men and women you know who are old at forty, even at thirty-five. And most of them are old because their stomachs are old. They are worn out, because their stomachs are worn out.

Indigestion, dyspepsia, belching and bloating, sourness and soreness of the stomach, constipation, biliousness, inactive liver, dizziness, kidney troubles, pains in the side and back, palpitation of the heart, headaches, ringing in the ears, "spots" before the eyes, neuralgia, rheumatism, general "run-down" condition, weakness, nervousness, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, falling off in weight, and general debility, with the foul breath and irritability which are as unpleasant to the sufferer's family and friends as to himself, those are among the ailments that mark "the wearing out of the stomach."

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"Tanlac changed me from a sick, nervous 'grouch' into a normal, happy man," says Jacob Ennis, day clerk at the Union Hotel, Omaha. "I was ready to give up, but Tanlac has made me feel like a new man," says S. D. Rose, 307½ North Sixteenth street, Omaha. Mrs. B. Gilson, 14 West Court street, Cincinnati, states: "I gained 18 pounds through taking Tanlac. I am a different woman." Mrs. John H. Osborn, 27 East Court street, Cincinnati, after being "given up," says: "I have gained 49 pounds in three months through the use of Tanlac. I feel as a healthy, strong, happy woman should feel."

Those endorsers—and hundreds of thousands like them—were unfortunate; but they were not foolish. They did not let their stomachs wear out. They did not become old.

Hundreds of thousands of men and women recommend Tanlac because Tanlac has made them ready and eager to do their work—whether the housewife's unending tasks, the laborer's burdensome toil, the farmer's delving and digging, the mechanic's deft handiwork, the business and professional man's anxious and intricate affairs.

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"I suffered from nervousness and a bloated stomach. My system was all run down. Food would never agree with me but always go against me. Sleepless nights and nervousness had me in a mighty poor condition. I suffered from a continual bloating and that tired, no-ambition feeling. Tanlac was recommended to me so that I began taking it.

"The results are remarkable. I have gained seven pounds. My appetite has improved, my food agrees with me. I am sleeping like a baby, and my relief in general through Tanlac is miraculous.

"I am only too glad to boost Tanlac because I have had such good results from it. As I said, it has put money in my pocket because it has made me fit to work and given me ambition."

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NEW LIGHT ON FORAKER'S ROWS WITH ROOSEVELT AND HANNA IN HIS LIFE STORY

But "Fire Alarm" Senator's Hatred Has Been Mildewed With Years and He Deals Quite Gently With His Two Greatest Enemies.

When it was announced that former Senator Joseph Benson ("Fire Alarm") Foraker of Ohio was writing the story of his life, a reasonable inference was that he would take advantage of the opportunity to even the score with the late Mark Hanna, his arch personal and political foe. But the Senator is in that mellow stage of life that comes with years and now that his "Notes of a Busy Life" in two volumes (Stewart & Kidd Co. of Cincinnati, publishers) have been given to the world, one looks in vain for the expected bitterness in dealing with Hanna's career, or even with former President Roosevelt, though his grievance against the latter is comparatively recent.

The first appearance of Hanna in Ohio politics, Foraker believes, was in the State convention of 1884. Of this he writes:

"I knew him well afterward. His entry into politics was characteristic of the man. Having decided to go to the convention as a delegate at large, he wouldn't take any chances. Or rather, there were two chances, and he took both of them—district convention on the first day and the State convention the second.

"The Blaine men 'kicked like steers, and shrieked louder than hyenas,' but that did not matter. The fumes of the lower regions began to rise,' but they had no terrors for him. His name was Marcus Alonzo, which had a sort of peajacket suggestion that was childlike and bland. It should have been Marcus Aurelius, for in rugged character and aggressive courage, if not in gentle consideration for others, he as like that great Roman, ever ready for battle and, although occasionally defeated never conquered but once—then death."

There are frequent references to the political battles they waged against each other, but the author shows no greater animosity than is evident in this quotation: It was in the same convention that William H. Taft's political activities became manifest. Of him, Foraker writes:

"I had known Taft ever since immediately after he came out of Yale University, when he appeared in my court room one morning as local court reporter for the Commercial. His bright face and agreeable manner at once attracted to him my favorable attention and excited for him a most friendly regard. His treatment at this convention was also indicative of what was to follow. He was 'sugar coated' with two very honorable recognitions—vice president of the convention and 'spokesman' of his delegation. For many years the best there was, and plenty of it, seemed to go to him without effort on his part. It is different now!"

As the campaign of 1889 drew on in Ohio, Hanna's war on Foraker became very bitter.

"He was very active and very fierce in his opposition," we are told, "and this continued not only until the convention met in Columbus and I was renominated, but afterward until I was defeated. He was not only hostile to me personally, but showed an angry disposition toward everybody who had supported me, especially those in Cleveland.

How Hanna Engineered Foraker Defeats.

"Hon Myron T. Herrick wrote me June 27, 1889, the day after I was renominated, saying, among other things: 'I saw Hanna at lunch today and he did not speak. I am told that he is very bitter.'

"He was present at the convention and expressed his bitterness there, and after I was nominated said to some friends who had supported me: 'Now that you have nominated him, let us see you elect him,' thus indicating that his intention was not to abide the result of the convention.

"This bitterness on his part grew out of his disappointment as to the result of the National Convention of 1888 and my disagreement with him as to the purchase of tickets of Southern delegates and my refusal to accept his candidate for national committeeman."

Later on the feud grew:

"The election of McKinley was followed by a spirited contest between Senator Sherman and myself for the United States senatorship, which resulted in his re-election by a vote of 53 to 38, just the reverse of how the vote stood, according to my information and estimates, when the members of the Legislature assembled at Columbus. In the contest Mr. Hanna was Senator Sherman's manager."

By this time, they were inveterate enemies and they fought it out to the last, their rivalry ending only with Hanna's death.

Coming to the time of the Rough Rider's regime at Washington:

"Prior to President Roosevelt's election in 1904 he and I had never had any serious differences of opinion about public affairs. Later I differed with him in a broad way as to the initiative, the referendum, the recall and all the other Socialistic ideas, as I regarded them, that had been advocated by W. J. Bryan and other Democrats, and by Socialistic leaders generally, to the extent he adopted and advocated them.

That Gridiron Dinner Row With Teddy.

"It is not my purpose to speak in this connection of that difference, but rather of three matters that presented themselves in concrete form, about which my senatorial duties required me to differ with him positively and earnestly. They were joint statehood of New Mexico and Arizona, the conferring of the rate-making power on the Interstate Commerce Commission and the Brownsville shooting affray, on account of which he discharged a whole battalion of the Twenty-fifth Infantry, colored troops, without sufficient evidence as I thought then and still think."

It was the last of these issues which led to the sensational encounter between Roosevelt and Foraker at the Gridiron Club dinner in January, 1907. For his account of this affair, our author reproduces a letter written the day after the dinner to his son, Benson. Having referred to the President's attack and his own response, he says.

"When I concluded there was quite a demonstration. A number left their seats and came over to where I was to congratulate me and to make kind expressions. They were all of the general character of the following, which Senator Beveridge sent to me written on a card:

'Dear Senator—I am against you, but I never so admired you as at this instant. You are game, and you are masterful. You were altogether thoroughbred tonight. BEVERIDGE.'

with the exception that he was the only one who said that he did not agree with me.

"Presently, amid the hubbub, I heard some voice, and, looking toward the head of the table, I saw the President on his feet, appealing to the audience to become quiet, so that he might 'make some remarks in answer to Senator Foraker.' After a time there was sufficient subsidence of the noise and demonstration to enable him to proceed, but throughout his remarks there was a continual buzzing of conversation all over the room.

"When the President spoke he said he wanted to reply to my remarks about Brownsville, and to say that no matter

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WOMEN SHOULD GET THIS HABIT AS WELL AS MEN

Don't eat a bite of breakfast until you drink a glass of hot water, says authority.

Wash the poison and stagnant matter from system each morning, and feel fresh as a daisy.

Sanitary science has of late made rapid strides with results that are of untold blessing to humanity. The latest application of its untiring research is the recommendation that it is as necessary to attend to internal sanitation of the drainage system of the human body as it is to the drains of the house.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when we arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

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A sense of duty to others who might suffer as she had impelled Mrs. R. C. Dunlap, of Dekalb, Mo., to send the following signed statement to the St. Joseph (Mo.) News-Press:

"The readers of the News-Press especially those suffering from gall stones, stomach trouble and appendicitis, will find in Fruitola and Traxo a permanent cure. After suffering for three years the most excruciating pain from gall-stones, I found this wonderful remedy and am now in perfect health and have been for almost four years. Never have any symptoms of the old trouble. I had been told by three doctors that nothing but an operation would save me. I know several who have undergone an operation but still have gallstones. This medicine is an oil which softens the stones and cures the liver. It can be bought at any drug store."

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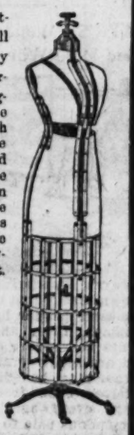
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had received from him during all his administration more careful consideration than that. He further defended his order, but said nothing new.

"When finally he was through and a song was sung, and 12 o'clock was reached, before either the program or the dinner had been completed, we were rather unceremoniously adjourned. I had intended to go up and speak to him, but the moment we were adjourned there was a general rush toward me, and I was kept standing in one spot, where my seat had been for 20 or perhaps 30 minutes, until I could shake hands with, it seemed to me, nearly all who were in the room, and exchange a few words with each.

"It was a very friendly, cordial and complimentary ovation. I was so busily occupied in that way that I did not see the President, with his party, including Secretary Root, Secretary Taft and others, leave the room, but I am told they went out rather promptly and without being detained as I was."

Incidentally—

"It is now (July, 1915) nine years almost since that fateful night. I do not know how much effort has been made to find someone of these poor, hapless men guilty of participation in that affray since the Court of Inquiry completed its shameful work, but I do know that now, after the lapse of this long period of time, not one single particle of testimony has ever yet been produced to identify any man who was a member of that battalion with that affray; and I feel that I hazard nothing in saying that not one particle of testimony to such an effect ever will be produced.

Believes an Injustice Was Done.

"Neither do I doubt if the Government had spent the one-tenth part to discover the men who shot up Brownsville that it did spend to convict its innocent soldiers of a crime they never committed the truth would have been easily and long ago established."

The Senator deals at length with the notorious Standard Old letter exposures and endeavors to justify his course in that matter throughout. However, nothing new is revealed or suggested in his defense.

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Coming Lectures and Meetings

(Published Sundays and Wednesdays.)

"Architecture of Southern France."

Gabriel Ferrand, professor of architecture at Washington University, will give an illustrated talk on "The Architecture of Southern France," at Cupples Hall No. 1, at the university, at 4:30 p. m. tomorrow, in connection with the spring course of public lectures. This is Prof. Ferrand's first public address since he became connected with the university last October, following his service in the present war with the French army.

"Literature and Journalism."

The Rev. M. J. O'Connor will lecture on "Literature and Journalism" at the St. Louis University library at 8 p. m. tomorrow.

Debate on "Preparedness."

A debate on "Preparedness" will be held at a dinner of the Brotherhood of the Second Baptist Church, King's highway and Washington boulevard, at 7 p. m. tomorrow. George S. Johns of the Post-Dispatch will speak in favor of preparedness, and Percival Chubb, leader of the Ethical Culture Society, against it. A general discussion and a vote by those present will follow.

Dental Society to Hear Dr. E. S. Best.

The Dental Society, at its meeting Tuesday night, at Recital Hall, Princess Theater building, will hear Dr. Elmer S. Best of Minneapolis on "Pulp Canal Operations."

Noonday Talks at Library.

Noonday talks to men and women will be held Tuesday and Thursday in the clubroom at the Public Library. Mrs. Melva J. Merrill will speak Tuesday and H. Weigel on Thursday.

M. A. C. Memorial Mass.

The Rev. Father Timothy Dempsey will celebrate noonday mass each day during Lent at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Sixth and Biddle streets, at 12:10 o'clock. On March 9 the annual memorial mass for the victims of the Missouri Athletic Club fire of two years ago will be held. Arrangements are being made for an extensive celebration of St. Patrick's day at this church.

Prof. Langsdorf on Wireless.

"Wireless Telegraphy and Telephony" will be discussed by Prof. Alexander Suss Langsdorf before the Washington University Association, at the medical school, at 8 p. m. Tuesday. The speaker is dean of the schools of engineering and architecture of the university.

Illustrated Talk to Chemists.

Dr. Edward Bartow of the University of Illinois and director of the Illinois State Water Survey, will give an illustrated talk on "Activated Sludge," at the March meeting of the St. Louis Section of the American Chemical Society, at 8:15 p. m. tomorrow. The meeting will be at the Washington University medical school, Euclid and Scott avenues.

"Recent Astronomical Results."

"Some Recent Astronomical Results" will be the topic of the Rev. C. J. Borgmeyer of St. Louis University, in an address before the Academy of Science, at 3817 Olive street, at 8:15 p. m. tomorrow.

Coulter to Address Jewish Big Brothers.

Ernest K. Coulter will speak before the Jewish Big Brothers' Association Tuesday, at the Shaare Emeth Temple, on "Children in the Shadow." He is the originator of the Big Brother idea.

Robinson to Speak on Architecture.

The fourth of a series of public lectures on "Pictorial Architecture," by Prof. John B. Robinson of Washington University, will be given at the St. Louis Architectural Club, 514 Culver Way, tomorrow evening at 8:30.

Talk on "Thinking and Selling."

Prof. Edgar James Swift of Washington University will give a lecture on "Thinking and Selling," at Cabanne Branch Library, Tuesday evening, before a business men's psychology class.

"Social Revolution" Talk at Open Forum.

"The Road to the Social Revolution" will be the subject of an address at Neumeyer's Hall, Eighth street and Lafayette avenue, at 2:30 this afternoon by A. Diephus, chairman of the St. Louis Open Forum. Admission is free.

"Preparedness" From Socialist View.

Mrs. Frank P. O'Hare will speak on "Preparedness From the Socialist Standpoint" at the Open Forum, 2733 Franklin avenue, at 8 o'clock tonight. General discussion will follow.

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LONDON, March 4.—The west coast of Africa, formerly a land of romance, tragedy and mystery, to be told about by explorers, is becoming rapidly modernized.

A Nigerian newspaper, for instance, says that Dr. Obasa, a wealthy native, has at his own expense built a new road into his cocoa plantations so that now a fleet of motor trucks will take the place of the long line of natives carrying the cocoa on their heads through a jungle trail.

Church of the Covenant Banquet.

The Upsilon Alpha Lambda Kappa of the Church of the Covenant, 2540 North Grand avenue, held its annual banquet at the American Annex Friday evening. Ernest R. Clause was elected president.

ART LEAGUE QUARTET CONCERT

Will Be Given at Wednesday Club Auditorium Wednesday Night.

The Art League Quartet will give its second concert of the season, Wednesday night, at the Wednesday Club Auditorium. The program will consist of Tschaikowsky's String quartet in E-Flat Minor, Valentini's Sonata for Violoncello and Piano, and Schubert's quartet in D-Minor.

The members of the quartet were recruited from the Symphony Orchestra, and are: Hugo Olk, first violin; Arno Waechtler, second violin; Louis Kielsmeier, viola; and Ludwig Pieler, violoncello. Frederick Fischer plays the piano parts.

More HELP WANTS were printed in the Post-Dispatch during February than in the FOUR other St. Louis newspapers COMBINED!

Penuchle and Peanut Party.

The Married Ladies' Sodality of Holy Trinity Parish will give a penuchle, euchre and peanut party this afternoon at the parish auditorium, Fourteenth and Mallinckrodt streets.

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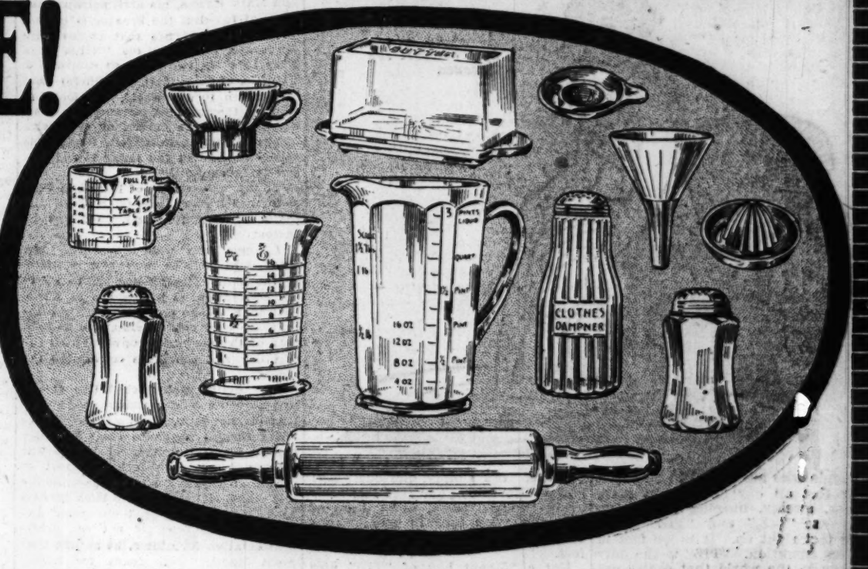
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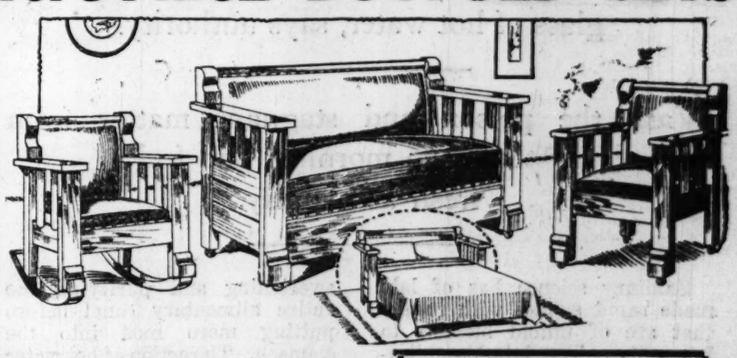
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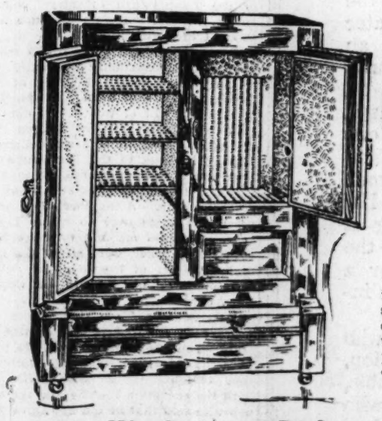
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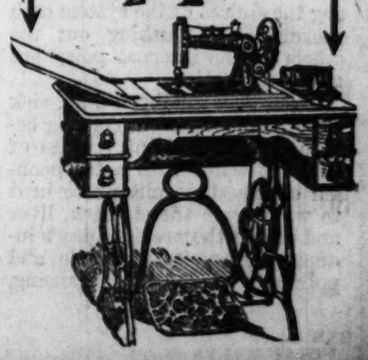
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About Fifty Pictures on View at City Art Museum Until the End of March.

A notable collection of the works of Chicago's leading painters will be on view at the city Art Museum in Forest Park until the end of March. These pictures are the final selection from the big show of the Chicago Society of Artists, and number about 50. The display embraces landscape, portraiture and figure composition.

In Gallary No. 1 there is a fine group of portraits by John da Costa, including seven studies of children.

SOLDIERS LIKE MOVIE POSING

Some Pretend Nonchalance; Others Heroically Ferocious.

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, March 4.—Posing for the motion picture men is one of the delights of the soldiers in the trenches. They no sooner catch sight of the operator at work than they begin to pose. As a rule the first step is to light a cigarette, to set the cap at a rakish tilt, and to adopt a general air of nonchalance. Others handle their rifles with heroic ferocity. The great difficulty is to get them to preserve a natural expression, an instinctive tendency being to wear a broad grin, which, of course, imparts to the most realistic picture the suggestion of "fake."

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CHURCH CRADLE ROLL SERVICE TO OPEN BABY WEEK

Infants and Their Care Will Be Chief Topic of Today's Sermons.

Babies will predominate as the chief topic of discussion at the Sunday schools and churches today, marking the beginning of the first "National Baby Week," promoted by the Children's Bureau of the United States Department of Labor in conjunction with the General Federation of Women's Clubs. The St. Louis branch of the Missouri Sunday School Association has set aside the day for Cradle Roll services in the Sunday schools, and many ministers have announced that they will preach on subjects relating to the babies' welfare.

The observance of the week in St. Louis will continue until Saturday, under supervision of a committee representing the various organizations working for the welfare of babies. The Woman's Council, representing 300 clubwomen; the Children's Aid Society, the public schools, the St. Louis Society for the Relief and Prevention of Tuberculosis, the Children's Hospital, the Maternity Hospital, the Visiting Nurses' Association, the St. Louis Medical Society and the Mothers' Congress are among the organizations taking part.

At 2 p. m. tomorrow a parade of automobiles carrying Mayor Kiel, Director of Public Welfare Tolkacz, Comptroller Player, President Haller of the Board of Aldermen, Drs. Cleveland Shutt, Max Starkloff and C. A. Jordan of the Public Health Department, and other interested persons, will start from the city hall for an inspection of the free dispensaries and baby clinics.

Week to Be Variously Advertised.

Various means will be used throughout the week to focus the attention of the public on the babies. Every department store and every drug store has been asked to make its window display in keeping with the idea of "Baby week." It has been suggested that the druggists exhibit the pure foods and medical supplies that help keep the baby healthy and that the department stores show the articles of wearing apparel necessary for the baby's comfort. It is expected that most stores will comply with these suggestions.

The stores will be supplied with leaflets containing information about the care of babies and will be asked to inclose one with each bundle.

Special clinics under the supervision of Dr. Gustav Lippmann and Dr. Louis Boonshaft will be conducted daily from 10 to 12 a. m. and from 2 to 4 p. m., on the fifth floor of the Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co. These clinics will be open to the public and mothers may bring their babies there to receive treatment and advice from physicians and nurses of the Visiting Nurses' Association.

The schedule of clinics is as follows: Monday—morning, Pure Milk Commission Laboratory clinic; afternoon, Victor street. Tuesday—morning, Holy Cross; afternoon, Boyle Center. Wednesday—morning, Father Dempsey's; afternoon, Washington University. Thursday—morning, Pure Milk Commission; afternoon, Markham Memorial. Friday—morning, Holy Cross; afternoon, Markham Memorial. Saturday—morning and afternoon, Wessley House. These clinics will not be open at their regular locations on the days assigned to them at the Grand-Leader, but babies being treated by them may be brought to the store.

The local committee, of which Mrs. Philip Fouke is chairman, will have headquarters at 308 North Eighth street. At headquarters free lectures on subjects relating to the care of babies will be given daily from Monday to Friday, from 12 to 3 p. m. The speakers will be well-known physicians.

Lectures will be given at the public schools as follows: Tuesday, Emerson School, 8:30 p. m.; Blow School, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, Glasgow School, 3 p. m.; Patrick Henry School, 4 p. m. and 8 p. m.; Thursday, Clark School Center, at Cabanne Library, 3 p. m.; Howard School, 3:30 p. m.

Tuesday and Wednesday there will be a "Better Babies" contest at Jewish Educational Alliance, 901 Carr street. Eight silver prizes and a bronze medal will be awarded for the best babies in various classes from 9 months to 3½ years old.

700 Communities Participate.

Information from the Children's Bureau at Washington is that more than 700 cities and communities have made organized arrangements for "Baby Week." In addition, the General Federation of Women's Clubs, the Children's Bureau and the extension departments of many State Universities will use the mails to spread the knowledge of better baby care.

The Children's Bureau states that every year 300,000 babies under one year old die in this country. Many of these deaths are held to be preventable by the use of proper care by the parents.

What can be done to reduce the death rate among babies is shown by the results of the St. Louis Pure Milk Commission, through which the Post-Dispatch Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund is distributed each summer. The annual report of this Commission, made public a few days ago, showed that the annual death rate in St. Louis of babies under one year old had been reduced from 134 out of every 1000 in 1906 to 80 in 1915.

Proposed Playground Approved.

The Progressive Business Men's Association of St. Louis, at its last meeting, adopted a resolution approving the movement for a playgrounds in the neighborhood of Gravois avenue and Morganford road. These officers were installed: President, E. E. Schoening; vice presidents, William F. Boehl, Charles Schlitte, William Schwartz, E. H. Arnold; recording secretary, Charles J. Francis Jr.; financial secretary, William Glamann; corresponding secretary, William E. Ilert; treasurer, George Kaufman; board of directors, Ernest W. Nagel, George B. Windler, Henry J. Bruns; sergeant-at-arms, P. Cagna and Louis Krisch.

HAVE COLOR IN YOUR CHEEKS

Be Better Looking—Take Olive Tablets.

If your skin is yellow—complexion pallid—tongue coated—appetite poor—you have a bad taste in your mouth—a lazy, no-good feeling—you should take Olive Tablets.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—a substitute for calomel—were prepared by Dr. Edwards after 17 years of study with his patients.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color.

If you want a clear, pink skin, bright eyes, no pimples, a feeling of buoyancy like childhood days, you must get at the cause.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act on the liver and bowels like calomel—yet have no dangerous after effects.

They start the bile and overcome constipation. That's why millions of boxes are sold annually at 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

Take one or two nightly and note the pleasing results.
The Olive Tablet Company, Columbus, O

UNDERSKIRTS HAVE COME BACK TO STAY, THEY SAY IN PARIS

Ribbons Keynote of the Summer Styles; Doll-Like Hats Left to Young Girls.

PARIS, March 4.—Increasing numbers of grave faces have dealt a severe blow to the rather trivial little bonnet women have worn since fall. The doll-like head-dress is now left to bright-faced sewing and shop girls, while graver visages are seen under wider straw or higher ribbon. The straw is no longer pulled down over the head as one draws on a stocking, but is posed lightly, not on the back of the head as heretofore, but on the forehead, as another reminder that "the Germans are still at Noyon."

Underskirts have, it is said in authorized quarters, come back to stay, and styles in dress are getting farther and farther back into the eighteenth century, with ribbons galore. The ribbon, it is said, will be the keynote of summer styles, with short sleeves, flounces and elegances of the ante-revolutionary days.

If Troubled With Bad Cough Try Parmint Syrup and Mustard Foot Bath

Says These Old Fashioned Remedies Will Stop Worst Cough.

We are told the old-time remedies are best and invariably contain less harmful yet better medicine than those that are commonly used today. This being so, undoubtedly this old-fashioned recipe will be welcomed by many, as there seems to be a regular epidemic of coughs at the present time. Secure from your druggist one ounce of Parmint (double strength), take this home and add to it a quarter pint of hot water and 4 ounces of granulated sugar, stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful 4 times a day. In addition, take for three nights in succession a hot foot bath, to which has been added two tablespoonfuls of mustard.

Parmint is soothing to the throat, has a slight tonic action and should stop even the worst cough when used in conjunction with the mustard foot bath. It is also pleasant to take, costs little and makes an ideal remedy for the home. This should be made up and kept in every household during the winter months. There is nothing better.—ADV.

DAVENETTE WEEK

A VERY TIMELY AND FORTUNATE PURCHASE OF

3 CARLOADS OF DAVENETTE SUITES

WILL GO ON SALE HERE, BEGINNING TOMORROW AT 9 AM AND WILL CONTINUE DURING THIS ENTIRE WEEK

TERMS DURING THIS SALE ONLY 75c WEEK

We were just lucky to make this sensational purchase. We bought (3) carloads of these SUITES at an enormous reduction, right now when FURNITURE prices are "shooting up" beyond conception. This was a great trade stroke for us, and in turn we give you the benefit of this deal.

Come here tomorrow without fail, and just see what a wonderful opportunity this is. Come and compare them with other SUITES offered around town at "cheap prices" you will then realize what savings this SALE offers.

REMEMBER THESE TERMS 75c WEEK

THINK OF IT! TERMS ONLY 75c WEEK



SPECIAL NO. 1

This SUITE is massively constructed of GENUINE QUARTER-SAWED OAK or MAHOGANY finish, upholstered in GENUINE CHASE LEATHER. A real $60 value.

DAVENETTE . . $23.75
ROCKER $10.85
CHAIR $10.65



SPECIAL NO. 2

This SUITE is without a doubt the most sensational value we ever saw in all our FURNITURE experience. It's a very HIGH-GRADE SUITE, but we bought at a price and turn them right over to you on the same basis.

$34.60

Made of GENUINE SOLID OAK or MAHOGANY finish, upholstered in GENUINE ROYAL LEATHER; has full set of oil-tempered steel springs, and guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Terms 75c Week — Terms 75c Week

SPECIAL NO. 3

This SUITE is constructed of a very select GENUINE QUARTER-SAWED OAK or GENUINE MAHOGANY, hand rubbed, and highly polished piano finish, upholstered in brown Spanish or GENUINE MULE SKIN. Exactly as illustrated.

DAVENETTE . . $23.75
ROCKER . . . $12.35
CHAIR . . . $11.85
TERMS 75c WEEK

ANY DAVENETTE SUITE BOUGHT IN THIS SALE ONLY 75c WEEK

TERMS ON ANY DAVENETTE SUITE IN THIS SALE 75c WEEK

THE RELIABLE

SOUTHEAST COR. 8th AND FRANKLIN

COMMUNITY PLATE



We illustrate the Georgian and Patrician patterns, finest quality silver, guaranteed 50 years. We offer special, 26-piece oak chest, 6 knives, 6 forks, 6 tablespoons, 6 teaspoons, 1 butter knife and 1 sugar shell for..... $19.50

Other 26-Piece Chests, special at $6.75

Special offer Community Silver Par Plate, the new BRIDAL WREATH pattern, set of

6 Teaspoons	63c	12-piece Knife and Fork Sets	$2.98
6 Tablespoons	$1.15	6 Orange Spoons	98c
Meat Forks	45c	6 Butter Spreaders	$1.49
		6 Salad Forks	$1.49

Many other useful articles at lowest prices.

HEADQUARTERS FOR CUTLERY.

We sharpen Knives, Razors, Shears, Scissors and all cutlery.

Silverware
Cut Glass
Cutlery
Electrical Goods

The Store for Gifts

Hyatt's
417 N. Broadway
Mail Orders Promptly Filled.

Kodaks
Stationery
Fountain Pens
Pictures and Frames

Poslam and Poslam Soap Work Wonders On Any Affected Skin

ECZEMA Is Quickly Healed.
COMPLEXIONS Are Cleared Overnight.
PIMPLES and Blemishes Banished.



By taking a small part of the skin affected with **Pimples, Rash, Blotches,** Etc., or which is **Unduly Inflamed, Itching** or **Chafing,** and applying thereto only a small quantity of **Poslam,** an immediate demonstration may be had of its remarkable healing power and enough **Poslam** for the purpose may be obtained **free** by the use of the coupon here ☞

Poslam puts a stop to itching at once, and its readiness in healing small surfaces is evidence of its rapid action in the eradication of **All Eczemas, Acne, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Barbers' Itch, Scalp Scales;** in short, every surface skin affection. So exhaustively has the merit of **Poslam** been proven and so uniform is its work of healing under all conditions, that no one suffering any Skin Trouble can afford to ignore its benefits.

For **FREE SAMPLE** of Poslam, sign THIS COUPON and send to Emergency Laboratories, 32 W. 25th St., New York.
Send Free Sample of Poslam to
Name _____
Address _____

Poslam Soap medicated with Poslam, is an aid to health of Skin and Hair. Superior for daily use; Toilet, Bath, Shampooing.

ALL DRUGGISTS SELL POSLAM AND POSLAM SOAP

Duffy's Relieved Stomach Trouble and Indigestion



GEO. M. MANGON

A newspaper advertisement was the means of acquainting Mr. Mangon with the medicinal virtues of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. He says:

"Four years ago I had a bad case of stomach trouble and nervous indigestion. It was impossible to retain any food on my stomach and my weight dropped from 178 pounds to 106 pounds in two years. I took treatment without success and worried myself to a physical wreck. I noticed your advertisement and decided to purchase a bottle. I took Duffy's as directed and have been taking it ever since. I have regained my weight and am now a well and powerful man—thanks to your great remedy. I know it saved my life, and I am never without a bottle in the house. I wish you could tell the whole world what Duffy's has done for me." (Signed) Geo. M. Mangon, 253 Broadway, New York City.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

Is recommended in tablespoon doses in equal amounts of water or milk before meals and on retiring as an aid to digestion. Sufferers from stomach trouble and indigestion with sensitive stomachs are able to retain Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey as it is made from health-giving grains thoroughly malted and requiring little effort of the digestive organs. As a household remedy for use in emergencies Duffy's is unsurpassed.

"Get Duffy's and Keep Well"

Sold in SEALED BOTTLES ONLY. Beware of imitations.

NOTE Get Duffy's from your local druggist, grocer or dealer. $1.00 per bottle. If he cannot supply you, write us. Send for useful household booklet free.

The Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

IT'S easy to find the property you may be looking for in the Post-Dispatch big House, Home and Real Estate Directory.

This Wife and Mother Wishes To Tell You FREE How She Stopped Her Husband's Drinking

By all Means Write to Her and Learn how She did it.

For over 20 years Jas. Anderson of 10 Pearl Ave., Hilburn, N. Y., was a confirmed drunkard. His case was about as bad as it could be, but a little over twelve years ago his devoted wife, after years of trying, finally succeeded in stopping his drinking entirely.



Write to this woman if you have a relative or friend who drinks

Not only did she save Mr. Anderson but she stopped the drinking of her brother and several of her neighbors as well. All this she accomplished by simple home treatment which she now desires every man and woman who has a relative or friend who drinks, to know all about, for she feels that others can do just as she did.

The treatment can be given secretly if desired and without cost she will gladly and willingly tell what it is. Therefore every reader of this notice who is interested in curing a dear one of drinking should write to Mrs. Anderson at once. Her reply will come by return mail in a sealed envelope. She does this gladly in hopes that others will be benefited as she was. One thing she asks however, and that is that you do not send money for she has nothing to sell. Simply address your letter with all confidence, to Mrs. Margaret Anderson at the address given above and she will reply by return mail in a sealed envelope.

WHY LET YOUR HAIR FALL



CUTICURA SOAP AND OINTMENT

Will prevent it in most cases by removing dandruff, itching and irritation, the usual cause of dry, thin and falling hair. Nothing better.

Samples Free by Mail

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold everywhere. Liberal sample of each mailed free with 32-p. book. Address post-card "Cuticura," Dept. 11G, Boston.

Men and Efficiency

Cadomene Tablets will tell a story in marvelous results for strengthening shattered nerves, rejuvenating and vitalizing mental and physical forces. They are prepared for convenient self-administration in tablet form for use by the tired, worn-out, gloomy and diseased. They afford to the nerve and muscle cells proper and permanent stimulation and put you in condition where the world will laugh with you and not at you. Cadomene Tablets are a treatment complete in themselves. They insure strengthening of the tissues and increase in nerve energy which will make the routine tasks of life a positive pleasure.

Brace up—build up—mentally and bodily. Cadomene Tablets will make you strong, energetic and restore to your bodily structures natural elasticity, vim and normal functioning. —ADVERTISEMENT.

How to Shed a Rough, Chapped or Blotchy Skin

This is what you should do to shed a bad complexion: Spread evenly over the face, covering every inch of skin, a thin layer of ordinary mercolized wax. Let this stay on overnight, washing it off next morning. Repeat daily until your complexion is as clear, soft and beautiful as a young girl's. This result is inevitable, no matter how soiled or withered the complexion. The wax literally absorbs the slimy surface skin, exposing the lovely young skin beneath. The process is entirely harmless, so little of the old skin coming off at a time. Mercolized wax is obtainable at any drug store; one ounce usually suffices. It's a veritable wonder-worker for rough, chapped, reddened, blotchy, pimpled, freckled or sallow skin.

Pure powdered saxolite is excellent for a wrinkled skin. An ounce of it dissolved in a half-pint witch hazel makes a refreshing wash-lotion. This renders the skin quite fine and smooth; indeed, the very first application erases the finer lines; the deeper ones soon follow.—ADV.

The Post-Dispatch printed 667,017 Wants last year, a gain of 6320 over 1914, and was the only St. Louis newspaper showing a gain for the year. During this period the Post-Dispatch printed 19,111 more wants than the FOUR other daily newspapers COMBINED.

Corset Section Now on Fifth Floor. | Circulating Library Now on Fourth Floor. | Exclusive St. Louis Distributors Everwear Hosiery. | Sheet Music Section Now in Basement Economy Store.

STYLE SHOW WEEK

This has been set aside by the Retailers of St. Louis as "Style Show Week," & as if by magic, Famous-Barr Co. has been transformed into a veritable garden of beauty. The Springtime air permeates every section; light, airy, dainty new wearables & accessories have taken their places & await your viewing.

New Springtime things with which to beautify the home are here in resplendent variety & bidding for your favor.

Famous-Barr Co. formally opens the Spring season tomorrow with many specially attractive offerings.

Famous and Barr Co.

ENTIRE BLOCK: OLIVE, LOCUST, SIXTH AND SEVENTH STS.

Largest Distributors of Merchandise at Retail in Missouri or the West. | We Give Eagle Stamps & Redeem Full Books for $2 in Cash or $2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted.

Handkerchiefs at Half
6 for 35c

For men, initialed White Handkerchiefs in several styles—for women, pretty embroidered corner effects—at half original price.
Main Floor

25c Ribbons, 15c Yard

Plain, heavy, of silk taffetas, with high luster on both sides; also light Flowered Ribbons, 5 to 5½ inches wide. Main Floor, Aisle 2



This Is Baby Welfare Week

All America is paying homage to His Highness—"The Baby"

According to the records there were 14,124 of these little strangers who came to St. Louis during 1915, & Famous-Barr Co.'s function is to properly clothe these welcome youngsters. We are specializing in this particular line, & have a corps of efficient & expert attendants in our Infants' Wear Section whose sole occupation it is to see that the baby is correctly attired.

Complete infants' layettes or individual pieces, the most approved kinds.

Strictly sanitary & most hygienic toys, trimmed bassinettes & beds, combined heaters & coolers for nursing bottles, bath thermometers & rubber bathtubs, soiled clothes hampers, clothes driers & costumers, out-door sleeping baskets & beds, weighing scales, hot water bottles, bath aprons, towels, wash cloths, nursery pads, rubber sheets & all the correct and most sanitary accessories needed for the comfort & proper care of the infant—the men & women of the future. Third Floor



Exceptional Values Are Offered Monday in

New Lace Curtains

$3.50 & $4 Qualities for $2.29 Pair

Thirty-four new Spring designs are involved including French Cable Net, Point d'Esprit, Brussels Net, Marquisette, Art Filet, Voile & French Guipure Lace Curtains, narrow, medium & wide borders; copies of handmade curtains; white, ivory, beige & Arabian. 6 to 30 pairs of a kind, at, pair..... $2.29

$1.50 Lace Curtains, $1.00 Pr.
Marquisette, Voile, Point d'Esprit, Art Filet & Scotch Lace Curtains; all colors.

$2.50 Lace Curtains, $1.50 Pr.
French Cable Net, Brussels Net, Point d'Esprit, Marquisette & Art Filet Lace Curtains; all colors.

$5.00 Lace Curtains, $2.98 Pr.
Saxony, Egyptian, Brussels Net, French Cable Net, French & Arabian Novelty Lace Curtains; all colors.

$6.50 Lace Curtains, $4.50 Pr.
Handmade Cluny, Arabian, Marie Antoinette & Irish Point; also French & Arabian Novelty Lace Curtains; all colors.

$5.95 Silk Portieres, $3.95 Pr.
Reversible Silk Madras Portieres & Window Draperies; new designs & rich colorings.

49c Curtain Madras, 38c Yd.
Highly Mercerized Reversible Sunfast Curtain Madras; rich new colorings.

25c Marquisette, 15c Yd.
Highly Mercerized Curtain Marquisette, in white, ivory & Arabian colors.

98c Curtain Laces, 69c Yd.
42 to 48-inch Sash, Panel & Curtain Laces; new Spring designs; all colors.

35c Cretonne Drapery, 25c Yd.
Fancy Art Ticking, Sateen, Dimity & French Cretonne; new designs & color combinations.

Fourth Floor



FOR MONDAY, EXCEPTIONAL VALUES IN

NEW SILK FROCKS

SUITABLE FOR STREET & AFTERNOON WEAR

at $16.75

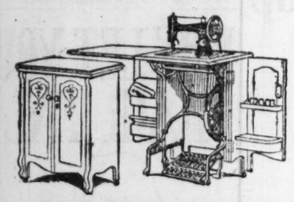
The diversity of styles, variety of materials & character of the values should attract an unusual amount of interest to this event.

150 new Frocks in the lot, all that we could secure at a price that would justify our passing them to you at Monday's figure. 12 catchy new models of plain striped or checked taffeta, crepe de chine & crepe meteor combined with Georgette crepe, in this Spring's newest color tones, including Jap & navy blue. Copen., silver gray, green, bisque, rookie, brown, stripes, plaids, also black.

Among the new style features are full skirts & puffy sleeves, side draped & pannier effects; handkerchief & three-quarter length tunics; effectively set off with gold & silver tinsel embroidery. Full range of sizes for women & misses. Monday while this group lasts, choice of any, $16.75. Third Floor

Special Factory Demonstration of

FREE Cabinet Sewing Machines



The handsomest on the market—an ornate piece of furniture when closed & a most satisfying sewing machine when open. An expert is here to point out its manifold points of superiority.

THE FREE CO. WILL BUY YOUR OLD MACHINE AT A LIBERAL PRICE WHEN YOU BUY A FREE CABINET.

Other Sewing Machine "Specials" Monday—

Sample Sewing Machines	Sample Sewing Machines
Choice for..... $23.50	Choice for..... $15.00
4 No. 66 Singer Machines.	2 Domestic Machines.
3 Davis Rotary Machines.	1 Auto Singer.
2 Wheeler & Wilson Machines.	1 Standard Machine.
3 Eldredge Machines.	6 Special Machines.

$45 New Singer Sewing Machines, No. 66, also long shuttle, & 9 Wheeler & Wilson's, 5 & 7 drawers.....$29.50

$50 Singer Sewing Machine, No. 66.....$35
$45 Automatic Sewing Machines; best make.....$35
$65 White Rotary Cabinet; latest model.....$45
$65 Singer, No. 66, cabinet style.....$45
$45 New Home Sewing Machines, latest model.....$27.50
Twelve $27.50 Sewing Machines, handsomely finished, new side tension, highly polished, quarter-sawed oak.....$17.50
A limited lot of odd Machines, various makes; Monday at $10.50 & $12.75

All Machines guaranteed 10 years & sold on our club plan, small cash payment, balance..... $1.00 Per Week

Handsome Bamboo Chair free with every Machine purchased Monday. Fifth Floor

9x12 Axminster Rugs, $15.35 Monday

A truly remarkable value in the face of present market conditions—Rex Axminster Rugs, in the popular 9x12 size, in patterns & colorings that are pleasing & will give endless service. Only by reason of a favorable purchase are we in position now to offer them at Monday's special price..... $15.35

Tapestry Brussels Rugs, Special at..... $9.75
These are in the 9x12 size & are built for good, hard wear; patterns are very attractive. The values absolutely unequaled in St. Louis.

Seamless Axminster Rugs, Special at. $28.25
Heaviest & best domestic Rugs in the Axminster weave; woven in one piece; reproductions of Persian & Turkish masterpieces, 9x12 size. Wonderful values.

Velvet Rugs, Special at..... $15.00
Closely woven, fast colors & good patterns in the 9x12 size. You cannot duplicate these values anywhere in St. Louis.

$1.75 Scotch Inlaid Linoleum, 92c sq. yd. 92c

Barry, Ostlere & Shepherd's; colors go through to the back; also Potter's best straight line tile effects; less than actual cost to manufacture..... Fourth Floor

Taffeta Silk Petticoats



Special Values at $4.00

Of extra quality silk, with fancy flounces trimmed with ruffles, underlays — black, changeables, navy, wistaria & suit shades—fitted tops—36 to 40 lengths.

New Society Washable Satin Petticoats
White & flesh, trimmed with lace, net underlays—special at, $5.

Third Floor

Special Values Monday in

Tablecloths

All-linen Irish Damask pattern Tablecloths, in handsome round designs.
81x81-inch, $4.50 value.....$3.50
86x86-inch, $6.00 value.....$5.00

$7.50 Table Sets, $6.00
All-linen Hemstitched Damask Table Sets—Cloth & one dozen Napkins to match—two sizes, 2½ or 2¾ yards long.

$4.00 Napkins, $3.00 Dozen
All-linen Damask Dinner Napkins, size 24x24 inches, our regular $4 value.

$1.50 Damask, $1.15 Yard
Pure Linen Irish Satin Damask, 70 inches wide, heavy weight, new designs.

Fifth Floor



KITCHEN & HOME NEEDS

—In best standard makes are underpriced considerably for Monday's selling.

$3.25 Aluminum Combination Cookers, $2.48
6-quart, "Aladdin," 4 vessels in one.

78c Granite Teakettles, 44c
No. 8 size, Royal steel gray.

$1.75 Nickel-Plated Casseroles, $1.19
7-inch size, nickel plated, with fireproof inset.

Toilet Paper, 6 Rolls 20c
Good size rolls of Waldorf Tissue Toilet Paper.

Lenox Laundry Soap, 12 for 29c
Large size cake—Procter & Gamble's. No mail or phone orders filled.

80c Stepladders, 62c
6 ft., strongly made, fitted with bucket holder.

95c 3-quart Aladdin Aluminum Saucepans, 75c.
$2.10 10-inch Aladdin Aluminum Cake Griddles, with bail, $1.69.
$1.15 15-quart oval all-white enamel Dish Pans, 90c.
$1.50 high-grade triple-coated granite Rice Boilers, all white, 98c.
75c 18-inch nickel-plated Towel Bars, 59c.
35c nickel-plated Toilet Paper Holders, 24c.
$1.98 Combination Electric Comb & Hair Drier, $1.49.
50c nickel-plated Soap Dishes, 37c.
$4.75 guaranteed iron frame Clothes Wringers, $3.95
$1.40 20-inch, wood bottom, handmade Clothes Baskets, 98c.
$3.10 wood bottom, square willow Clothes Hampers, $2.59.
50c large size bottle O'Cedar Polish, 38c.
$3 6-lb. Westinghouse Electric Smoothing Irons, $2.59.
$1.25 No. 1 size Universal Food Choppers, with extra blades, 88c.
$1 Wilson Oven & Toaster, 69c.
80c set Mrs Potts' nickel-plated Sad Irons, 64c.
40c 17-inch Galvanized Coal Hods; strong bail, 29c.
$1.25 Wizard Triangle Polish Mops; large size, 89c.
$12.98 Motor Water Power Washing Machines, $9.98.
Fels-Naptha, large size cake Laundry Soap, 10 cakes for 38c.
Armour's Hammer Laundry Soap, 20 cakes for 45c.
Armour's Light House Washing Powder, 8 packages for 29c.

Poultry Needs

10c Wire Hen Nest, well made, 8c.
50c Drinking Fountains, of heavy galvanized iron, 41c
59c Food Boxes, 2 compartments, heavy galvanized iron, 48c. Basement Gallery

Theater Tickets
Can be secured here for
Ballet Russe
Odeon, March 6th, 7th & 8th
Pageant Choral Society
Verdi's Requiem Mass, Odeon March 14th
Gabrilowitch-Gruppe Recital
Sheldon Memorial, Matinee March 6th
"As You Like It"
By Morse School of Expression, Victoria Theater, March 17 & 18.
Olympic Theater—"The Birth of a Nation."
Shubert Theater—Wm. Faversham in "The Hawk."
Princess Theater—"Mutt & Jeff in College."
Park Theater—"The Master of the House."
Shenandoah Theater—"The Chimes of Normandy."
Main Floor Gallery



Sale of Wall Papers

The Wall Paper Section is now ready with the newest ideas in wall hangings.

These specials for Monday:

WHITE BACK PAPER
Suitable for all rooms, roll, 2½c.

DAINTY BEDROOM PAPERS
Floral & striped patterns; handsome cut-out borders to match, 5½c roll.

COMBINATION PAPERS
With wide or narrow borders to match; wanted shades; 12½c & 15c values, Monday, 7½c.

IMPORTED GERMAN DYED OATMEAL PAPERS
In six colors, with borders to match, at 5c, 7c, 10c yd.; Monday, roll, 8½c.

TIFFANY BLENDS & LIGHT TAPESTRY EFFECTS
30c & 35c values, Monday, roll, 22c.

We furnish competent workmen & guarantee their work. Bring room measurements. Fourth Floor

NEW DRESS FABRICS

In this Spring's correct weaves, patterns & colors—many special offerings for Monday—

$1.00 50-Inch Serge, 85c
Black, navy & men's-wear blue, all-wool, 52-inch, sponged & shrunk.

36-Inch French Serge, 49c
Black, navy & all the good shades, staple French Serge.

$2.25 Tailor's Suiting, $1.98
Neat stripes, mixtures, homespuns, vigoreaux, plain & checked effect. Real mannish all-wool cloths of fine texture.

$1.50 New Checks, $1.25
The most stylish suitings, pure wool, 48 inches wide, in black & white & multi-color checks.

$1.25 Black Mohair, 98c
Silk finished pure Mohair, 54-inch black Sicilian.

$1.98 Black Broadcloth, $1.59
Real chiffon Broadcloth, sponged & shrunk, 50 inches wide, very richly finished.

Golf Coatings, $1.50
For Early Spring wear, 54-inch, Emerald green & scarlet, plain & Corded weave.

$1.50 French Serge, $1.29
Our standard quality, very smooth finish, good weight, black, navy & the good shades; 56 inches wide. Main Floor, Aisle 1

We Are Discontinuing

Roger's "Lavigne" Pattern

Of A1 Standard Silver-Plated Table Ware

In order to close out all pieces of this pattern we have made a marked reduction, which should appeal to the thousands of families in St. Louis who have bought this pattern & who can use some extra pieces, particularly at the very low prices we have named for Monday's selling.

Teaspoons, set of 6.....59c
Tablespoons or Forks, set of 6, $1.18
Table Knives, set of 6...$1.59
Sugar Shells or Butter Knives, each.....21c
Cream Ladles, each.....39c
A. D. Coffee Spoons, 6 for..89c
Iced Teaspoons, set of 6....98c
Individual Salad Forks or Butter Spreaders, set of 6.....$1.39

Main Floor, Aisle 5

$2.75 CUT GLASS FRUIT BOWLS, $1.72

A special purchase of 100 Cut Glass 8-inch Fruit Bowls, in this season's very newest & richest floral & combination designs, with large satin finish flower; cut in heavy lead crystal blanks; Monday, while they last..... $1.72

$4.50 Cut Glass Vases, 12-inch size.....$2.85
$1.50 Cut Glass 6-inch Handled Nappies.....95c
$5 & $6 odds & ends in Cut Glass Pieces.....$2.95

Fifth Floor



The Basement Economy Store Offers Matchless Values Monday in

New Spring Suits

at $10 & $14.75

Values that easily surpass those obtainable elsewhere. A surprisingly wide range of this Spring's cleverest models embodying all the latest style ideas. Fashioned from all-wool poplins, gabardines, checks & serges; in black, navy, light blue, green & tan; all sizes for women & misses. Suits that are silk-lined & skillfully tailored; kinds that will give pleasing service. St. Louis' very vest values at $10 & $14.75.

Women's New Spring Coats

Special Values Monday at

$5.90 & $10

Sport Coats, College Coats, belted, semi-belted & loose back models, of serges, poplins, checks, velour checks, plaids, white chinchillas & Roman striped cheviots, in the wanted colors.

Basement Economy Store

Sale of Slight Mill Seconds of

Sheets and Pillowcases

A well-known brand which you will easily recognize. Snow-white, seamless, contain no dressing. Subject to slight mill stains & imperfections.

95c 72x108 Sheets.....65c
85c 81x90 Sheets.....59c
80c 72x90 Sheets.....55c
75c 72x90 Sheets.....53c
65c 63x99 Sheets.....48c
59c 54x90 Sheets.....44c
25c 45x36 Cases.....15c
20c 42x36 Cases.....12½c

(No phone or mail orders filled.)

15c to 25c White Organdies, 11c
Sheer quality, 40 inches wide; mill cuts 10 to 20 yards; snow white, limited quantity.

10c Fancy Percales, 6½c
White grounds with red polka dots; limited quantity.

19c Colored Plisse Crepes, 15c
Equal to Windsor crepes, beautiful shades, pink, blue, navy, white, etc.; crinkle effects.

59c Mercerized Table Damask, 33c
64 in. wide, below actual mill cost today; sample lot, bordered floral & cube designs.

Sea Island Muslin, 6½c
Unbleached, 40 inches wide, below actual mill cost today; mill cuts 2 to 20 yards.

Twilled Roller Crash, 5c
Bleach and unbleached, with red borders, for roller towels.
(Limit 20 yards to a customer.)

$4.50 Satin Marseilles Spreads, $2.50
Heavy quality, 13-4 size, for full size beds; plain hem; subject to slight stains.
We will scallop Spreads for 20c extra.

Sample Towels, ½ Price
Heavy Turkish Bath Towels, colored & white Huck Towels, Linen Face Towels, etc.

10c & 12½c Curtain Marquisettes, 6½c
Ecru & white, 36 inches wide, mercerized finish; mill cuts 1 to 5 yards; only 2000 yards. Basement Economy Store

Real Leather Hand Bags for 50c

2000 of them for Monday's selling—leather lined, fitted with mirror & purse—good styles—most remarkable value St. Louis has known in years. Basement Economy Store

New Lisere Sailors

Unusual Values Monday at

$2 & $2.25

About 500 of these shiny new Straw Hats—of narrow Lisere Straw in large sailors, medium rolled sailors, new side effects & tricornes.

New Bands & Buckles for Sailors...49c & up
New Bakst Hat Pins & Bands.....49c & up
Hats trimmed free.

Basement Economy Store

$25.00 Rugs, $15.80
Alexander Smith Axminsters & Saxony make; size 9x12 feet; good patterns & colors; slightly mismatched in the seams.

$2 & $2.50 Lace & Scrim Curtains, $1.50 Pr.
For the parlor & dining room; made from long combed Sea Island yarns, in filet nets, cable nets, Scotch nets, madras, marquisette, voile, etc. White, cream, ecru & Arabian.

18c to 25c Marquisette, 15c
Long combed yarns, full mercerized, 36 & 40 inches wide, marquisette & voile; plain & fancy borders; white, cream, ecru & Arabian colors.

Basement Economy Store

Wash Silks, 45c Yd.
32-inch new Tub & Shirting Silks, neat stripes, in the wanted color combinations.

Crepe de Chine, 39c Yd.
36-inch, silk & lisle; twenty of the newest shades, plenty of white & black.

Check Dress Goods, 49c
42-inch, wide range of plain & fancy checks.

Basement Economy Store

Women's Hose, 14c
Silk lisle, seamless, in black, white & colors—25c kind.

Women's 25c Undr'wr, 18c
Shaped vests, high neck, long or short sleeves & low neck, sleeveless; pants lace knee also, ankle length. Regular and extra sizes.

Men's 25c Half Hose, 12½c
Imported, fashioned, black & split sole, also seamless fiber & silk lisle, black & colors.

Basement Economy Store



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The BEST are ADVERTISED on the first WANT page—also in the amusement columns.

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"FIRST IN EVERYTHING"

SENATE GETS FIRST BIG ARMY BILL TO REACH CONGRESS

In Effect, Measure Introduced by Senator Chamberlain Is Same as Garrison's Continental Plan, but Is Enlarged and Gives President Wider Latitude.

REGULAR FORCE TO HAVE 178,000 MEN

Also Calls for Federalization of National Guard With Pay Provision and Officers' Reserve and Training Corps.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The first of the national preparedness measures to reach either House of Congress for consideration was introduced in the Senate today by Senator Chamberlain, chairman of the Military Committee which perfected it after weeks of hearings and conferences. It proposes an even more sweeping change in military policy than that outlined by President Wilson in his annual messages and was described by Senator Chamberlain as the most comprehensive piece of military legislation ever offered in Congress.

All of the elements of the administration army plan prepared by former Secretary Garrison are retained, although in altered form, and additional proposals for organization of industrial reserves in peace times go even further than the administration has suggested.

The House Committee's bill will be introduced Monday. There is no vital difference between the two measures and members of both committees believe that when the final bill, which will be agreed upon in joint conference committee, has passed both Houses the President will be able to affix his signature to a measure that will do more than he has asked toward building up an adequate national defense.

Has Four Striking Features.

Aside from its plan virtually to double the regular army and national guard the Senate bill has four striking features. They are:

Authorization of a purely Federal volunteer force in peace times, the object sought by Secretary Garrison in urging the continental army plan.

Authorization for a definitely enlisted reserve in peace times among men of every profession or calling, whose training fits them for special duty either with troops on lines of communication or supply, or in machine shops and munition plants.

Federalization of the national guard under a pay provision designed to bring this force immediately into such relations with the Federal Government that its training, equipment and personnel will be under supervision of the War Department.

Authorization for an officers' reserve and reserve officers' training corps, which would take in graduates from military schools and colleges and provide for their further development to command.

For the regular army the bill provides a peace strength within five years of 178,000 men of all arms, or approximately 165,000 fighting troops. The full war strength would be 225,000. The army would consist of 65 infantry, 25 cavalry and 21 field artillery regiments in addition to the staff and other special corps and the coast artillery. The mobile army in continental United States would consist of four infantry divisions and two divisions of cavalry.

Increase in General Officers.

Corresponding increase in the number of general officers would be made and the rank and pay of Lieutenant-General would be given to the chief of staff.

The bill provides for a complete reorganization of the army, legalizing the organization now in force under departmental regulation. The appointment of second lieutenants other than graduates of the military academy are made provisional for two years before a commission is issued.

Enlistment is fixed at seven years, four with the colors and three in reserve. At the end of one year of service efficient men may be discharged into the reserve on recommendation of their commander and at the end of two years at their own request, if approved. Reservists would receive a minmum pay of $24 a year and the President would have authority to mobilize the reserve in time of actual or threatened hostilities.

As an additional inducement for recruits, provision is made that men who have completed six years service in the army may be examined by a board of officers to determine the civil occupations for which they are qualified and they would be eligible to appointment to civil service positions of that nature without a civil

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FAIR TODAY; PARTLY CLOUDY TOMORROW; MILD TEMPERATURE



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Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair today; tomorrow partly cloudy, with moderate temperature.

Humidity at 7 p. m. yesterday, 56 per cent.

6000 CARS TO CARRY 250,000 TONS OF SUGAR ACROSS U. S.

Said to Be Largest Transcontinental Shipment Ever Made—Freight Charges From Hawaii $3,000,000

CHICAGO, March 4.—The first trainload of what is said to be the largest transcontinental shipment of a single commodity ever made, passed through Chicago today.

It was sugar from Hawaii. The entire consignment, most of which goes to New York refineries, weighs 250,000 tons, is valued at $25,000,000 and the freight charges will be in the neighborhood of $3,000,000. The entire consignment will require 6000 freight cars or 120 solid trains. The movement, which will require three months to complete, was made overland because of the blocking of the Panama Canal.

ENVELOPING MOVEMENT OF WIND HURLS SMOKE BACK ONTO CITY

Fumes, Driven Into Hotels and Restaurants, Hang as Heavily as in Trenches "Somewhere in France."

Smoke hung in the air of downtown streets last night as it hangs in the trenches "somewhere in France." Theater-goers coughed and wondered where the fire was. The fumes entered hotels and restaurants and hung in blue clouds near the ceiling.

It was all due to a sudden shift in the wind, the Weather Bureau explained. Up to 7:30 the wind was blowing from the southwest. In this way, such smoke as there was over the city was driven north. While quite a quantity of this smoke was moving north, the wind began to come from the northwest. This jammed the smoke back the way it had come, and caused it to settle down in the lower air which pedestrians breathe.

WOMAN ELECTROCUTED IN BATH

Portable Light Falls and Is Shattered Against Tub, Killing Her Instantly.

TOLEDO, O., March 4.—When a portable electric light fell into the bath tub in which she was sitting Friday night, Mrs. Josephine Bellows, 22 years old, was electrocuted. Mrs. Bellows was alone in the apartment, her husband having gone to Buffalo. She turned on the water, got into the tub and sat reading a magazine while the tub filled.

A small portable electric light was attached to a stand beside the tub and this became detached and fell. The bulb in striking the tub was shattered. Mrs. Bellows gave one agonized scream, then was still.

OIL DIVIDEND OF $1400 A SHARE

Quaker Company, Producing Corporation, to Distribute $2,800,000.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 4.—E. H. Jennings of the Pure Oil Company announced today that the directors of the Quaker Oil Company, the producing corporation in the mid-continent field, had declared a dividend of $1400 a share. The stock, which has a par value of $25 a share, is held by the Pure Oil Company.

The total amount of the dividend is $2,800,000.

HAT THEFT CHARGED TO BANKER

He Is Arrested Under Warrant Obtained by Lawyer at Superior, Wis.

SUPERIOR, Wis., March 4.—Harry Speakes, president of the Superior Commercial Club, was arrested today on a warrant sworn out by C. J. Hartley, a lawyer and formerly president of the Rotary Club, who charged Speakes with the theft of a hat.

Speakes was released on bail furnished by a bank of which he is a director. He still wore the hat.

Speakes is charged with having taken Hartley's hat from his office and having worn it jokingly to prove that the Commercial Club members were more enterprising than the Rotarians.

JAPANESE BUY U. S. STEAMER

Profit of $200,000 Said to Have Been Made in Sale of Mackinaw.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 4.—The American steamer Mackinaw, pought eight months ago from the Robert Dollar Company for $100,000, was sold today, it was reported, by George and James Flood, for $300,000, to a Japanese firm which recently purchased three large steamers. The Mackinaw, which now is at Vladivostok unloading, has a net tonnage of 2005 tons.

CHRISTIANITY AND THE WAR

"Outcome of Rejection of Faith," Says Cardinal Bourne.

LONDON, March 4.—Cardinal Francis Bourne, Archbishop of Westminster, in a Lenten pastoral letter, declared:

"The world-wide war is the outcome, not of the failure, but of the rejection of Christianity." There is, he said, no nation guiltless in this respect.

BRYAN IN CAPITAL AS HOUSE PUTS OFF SHIP ISSUE VOTE

Action of Warning Resolution Likely to Be Taken on Tuesday.

LEADERS ARE HESITANT

Former Secretary of State Talks to Congressmen and Gets Outline of Situation.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The House again today postponed action on proposals to warn American citizens not to travel on armed merchant ships, defeat of which has been requested by President Wilson to strengthen his hand in the negotiations with Germany. It was decided that not before Tuesday would a vote be taken, and a wearing day of conferences and maneuvering kept more in doubt than ever just what form the House action, when the time finally came, would take.

Supporters of the President in his stand for the rights of Americans to safety aboard merchantmen bearing arms reiterated tonight that there was no uncertainty that the House sooner or later would follow the lead of the Senate in killing the warning proposals. The problem of framing a parliamentary plan, however, which has the necessary committee sanction and which will be assured of acceptance by the House itself, remained unsolved.

Bryan Sees Congressmen.

Some Representatives professed to see in the arrival in the capital of William Jennings Bryan, who filled a speaking engagement here tonight, a development which might further complicate the situation confronting the President's supporters in the House. Bryan conferred during the afternoon with many of his friends, including some members of Congress, and discussed the movement for a congressional warning, which he is known to favor. He denied, however, as did those with whom he talked, that he was on the ground to help organize opposition to the President's desires.

House leaders advanced many reasons in support of their decision against a vote today, or Monday, on the recommendation of the Foreign Affairs Committee that the McLemore warning resolution be tabled. Prominent among them was the failure of the Rules Committee to agree after a long session, on what sort of rules should be brought in to govern debate. Acting Chairman Pou and Representative Garret of the committee went to the White House tonight to discuss that feature with President Wilson.

Other Reasons for Delay.

Other reasons, contributing to the delay include:

Insistence of some Democrats, including Democratic leader Kitchin, that instead of voting on the Foreign Affairs Committee recommendation to table Representative McLemore's resolution there be reported a substitute requiring a straight vote on a warning resolution.

Absence of many Democratic members from Washington on week-end trips.

Unwillingness by Speaker Clark to entertain a tabling motion on Monday, which is unanimous consent day.

Pleas of Indiana Democrats that no vote be taken before the Indiana primaries are held next Tuesday.

The desire of many members for the longest delay possible on the hope that they will never have to go on record on the proposition.

Doubt as to the temper of Republican members.

Conference of Leaders.

Soon after the House convened today, Acting Chairman Pou announced that his committee had decided there should be no vote until Monday. An informal meeting of Democratic members of the Rules Committee. Majority Leader Kitchin, Chairman Flood of the Foreign Affairs Committee, and the Speaker followed. In the course of a lively two hours' session on the question of framing a rule, Mr. Kitchin brought forward his proposal for a straight warning resolution. The President's backers refused to entertain the suggestion. The attitude of the administration was, plainly, they said, for killing the McLemore resolution on the floor and making an end of the whole matter.

In addition to fearing the result of a Democratic vote on a straight warning resolution, administration leaders frankly admit they are unwilling to take chances on what the Republicans would do with such a proposal. Republican leaders are said to be willing to aid in tabling the McLemore resolution because they regard that as more or less as a negative action, but their attitude on a clear warning proposition probably would be quite different.

Objection to Resolution.

The chief objection to the McLemore resolution as sounded by friends of warning resolution generally is that its preamble is burdened with requests for papers that do not exist or cannot be produced. This is not denied by members trying to obtain a vote on it and they even believe that very fact will gain their cause many votes. The McLemore resolution requests from the State Department evidence of orders to British merchant vessels regarding armament and war on submarines.

So far as the Senate was concerned, agitation over the issue had calmed down, almost completely tonight and the general opinion on yesterday's vote tabling all resolution relating to the subject was that the Senate had shown

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FRANCIS ACCEPTED BY RUSSIA; SENATE TO ACT THIS WEEK

St. Louisan's Appointment to Petrograd Ambassadorship May Be Confirmed Tomorrow.

FACES IMPORTANT WORK

New Commercial Treaty Regarded as Diplomatic Task of Great Importance.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Ambassador Bakhmeteff today informed Secretary of State Lansing that he had received instructions from the Russian Government that David R. Francis of St. Louis will be persona grata at Petrograd as American Ambassador.

President Wilson is expected to send Francis' name to the Senate early next week, probably Monday. Officials of the administration have not had the slightest doubt that Francis would be acceptible to the Russian Government.

Mr. Lansing sent the St. Louisan's name to the White House immediately he was advised by the Russian Ambassador that the appointment would be agreeable.

The expectation is that Senator Stone will move the confirmation of Francis without reference to the Committee of Foreign Relations to which the nomination ordinarily would be sent. Francis probably will be a full fledged American Ambassador before sundown Monday.

Before going to Petrograd Francis will spend a short time in Washington to acquaint himself with the routine of his new post as well as the several important matters pending between the United States and Russia, notably the proposed new commercial treaty. The former treaty was abrogated during the Taft administration because Russia declined to give American Jews equal privileges with other American citizens. By means of the new treaty the United States hopes to obtain travel privileges for Americans in Russia without regard to religious or racial affiliations.

The negotiation of the treaty will probably be the most important work Francis will be called on to do. If he is successful in consumating it on terms approximating those proposed by the United States his work will be a diplomatic achievement of first importance.

Francis will be called on to take care of the interests of Germany and Austria in Russia, including the general supervision of prison camps in which tens of thousands of Teutonic soldiers are interned for the duration of the war.

The understanding is that Mrs. Francis will not accompany the Governor to Petrograd, but will join him there after the rigorous Russian winter has broken. Mrs. Francis has been spending the winter in Florida. She will join her husband during his short stay in Washington before he sails for Europe.

MAN WHO FOUND $300 AND DID NOT MAKE IT KNOWN ARRESTED

Pleads Ignorance of State Law and Surrenders Money, But Owner Says He Will Prosecute.

Harvey McFarland, 44 years old, a teamster living at 3321 Franklin avenue, is held by the police awaiting an application tomorrow for a warrant charging him with larceny, because he found $300 on Feb. 29 and did not make known his discovery as provided by the State law. The complaint against McFarland was made by Charles Eaton of 2814 Wood street, and his wife, Edna.

At the head of the Lost and Found column in the Post-Dispatch there is this daily warning: "The Law—People who find lost articles are interested in knowing that the State law (sections 8263 and 8273, R. S. 1909) is strict in requiring them to seek the owner through advertisement and otherwise, and that a failure to do so, if same can be proven, involves a severe penalty."

Mrs. Eaton informed the police that she had lost two $100 bills and five bills of the denomination of $20 while returning home from a shopping trip. She said that a boy had told her that he saw a man jump from a wagon and pick up something from the sidewalk just after she passed. She and her husband questioned McFarland regarding the matter, but he denied having found any money.

After the case had been placed in the hands of the police yesterday, McFarland admitted having found the money and gave it to the police. He said that he did not know that the law required that he advertise his discovery of the money, but he was held by the police upon the agreement of Eaton to ask for a warrant tomorrow.

DUKE OF ROHAN TWICE WOUNDED

PARIS, March 4.—The Duke of Rohan, who is a member of the Chamber of Deputies and a captain of cavalry, was twice wounded in the head while fighting at Fort Douaumont. His condition is not serious.

Josselin Charles Marie Henri de Rohan-Chabot, the twelfth Duke of Rohan, was born in 1879 and succeeded to the title in 1914. He is the Deputy for Morbihan and a captain in the 27th Regiment of Dragoons.

Wickersham Tells Mayors Country Is in Frightful State of Unpreparedness

Wants 400,000 in First Line Reserve

William Marion Reedy Calls Congressmen Who Oppose President Traitors.

BANQUET ENDS MEETING

President of Security League Bitterly Assails Secretary of Navy Daniels.

A banquet, at Hotel Jefferson last night, marked the close of the two days' meeting of the National Defense Conference of Mayors, which was attended by 250 representatives of 80 American cities. Yesterday's business sessions, at the Planters Hotel, ended in the adoption of resolutions which demand that the present Congress take measures for making the United States the first naval Power in the world, for establishing universal military training, and for organizing the nation's physical resources for defense.

Prominent men and women attending the conference were luncheon speakers yesterday before the City Club and the Town Club. Mayor Mitchel of New York, Cornelius Vanderbilt and S. Stanwood Menken, president of the National Security League, addressed the City Club, and the Town Club, a woman's organization, lunching at the American Annex, heard talks by Miss Anne Morgan, daughter of the late J. Pierpont Morgan, Mrs. Lindsay Van Rensselaer of New York, and Mrs. A. J. George of Boston.



MISS ANNE MORGAN

Principal speakers at the Mayors' preparedness meeting yesterday.



WILLIAM MARION REEDY

Women's Meeting Today.

A women's meeting will be held at the Planters this afternoon, at which Miss Morgan, Mrs. Lindon Bates, chairman of the Women's Section of the Mayors' conference, and Mrs. George, who is a national anti-suffrage leader, are scheduled to speak on subjects relating to woman's part in the preparedness movement. The meeting is open to women and men.

The Hotel Jefferson banquet, attended by more than 500 persons, among them many figures of national prominence, was an emphatic demonstration of patriotism. Over every plate in the banquet room was an American flag and at intervals as the dinner progressed, patriotic songs were sung, while the speakers, though pointing out the present unpreparedness, were unanimous in declaring the country will assert its determination to continue to stand for freedom when the danger is realized.

The speakers were George W. Wickersham, former Attorney-General of the United States; Mayor William Hale Thompson of Chicago; William Marion Reedy, editor of the Mirror, and S. Stanwood Menken. Judge Daniel G. Taylor presided. In calling the gathering to order at 9:30 he declared the conference has been most significant as a demonstration of the unity of the people for preparedness for national defense.

Wickersham quoted figures from Governmental statistical reports to show that the United States is in a frightful state of unpreparedness and argued against national reliance upon the State militia as a basis of national defense.

Mayor Thompson attacked President Wilson's Mexican policy and urged a more rigorous program for extending the army and navy.

Reedy's speech was an appeal for a unification of all the classes of the American people and for throwing open the door of opportunity to the working men, who will "have to bear the burden of national defense."

Menken review the history of the National Security League, told what it expected to do, praised former Secretary of War Garrison and bitterly criticised Secretary of Navy Daniels.

Audience Sings America.

At the beginning of the dinner the lights were switched off and the pictures of President Wilson and President Washington were thrown on a screen. As the light came on again the banqueters rose, waving American flags, and sang "America."

Shortly afterward there was thrown on the screen the figure of "Miss Columbia," draped in the stars and stripes. This was followed by

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U. S. WILL MAKE FORMAL DEMANDS IN PETROLITE CASE

Austria to Be Asked to Apologize, Punish Commander and Make Reparation.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The United States is preparing to make formal demands upon Austria-Hungary as a result of the attack by an Austrian submarine upon the American tank steamer Petrolite. A note on the subject will be dispatched within the next few days.

It was authoritatively stated tonight that the United States would stand by its original contentions and ask an apology for the attack, punishment of the submarine commanders and reparation for the damage done to the vessel and injuries inflicted on a member of the crew, who was hit by a piece of shell.

In reply to the first American communication on the subject, Austria informed the State Department that its version of the affair was that the submarine commander thought the Petrolite an enemy ship disguised with the American flag; that he fired on the vessel because he thought it was about to ram his ship and that the commander of the Petrolite voluntarily furnished provisions when asked to do so.

The State Department since has secured information from the captain and crew of the Petrolite directly contradictory to the Austrian version. They have declared in affidavits that the Petrolite was stopped in the Mediterranean by an Austrian submarine, which fired a number of shells at her; that the submarine commander asked for food, which the commander of the Petrolite refused to give him, and that the commander of the submarine then held one of the members of the tanker's crew as a hostage while his men went aboard the ship and took such stores as they desired.

PRESIDENT TAKES WEEK-END TRIP ON POTOMAC RIVER

Will Return Tomorrow Morning When Fight on Armed Ship Resolution Will Be Renewed.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—President Wilson and Mrs. Wilson left tonight on the Mayflower for a week-end trip down the Potomac river and Chesapeake Bay. They planned to return to Washington Monday morning.

The President decided to take the trip because of his desire for rest after a busy week in conference with congressional leaders over the agitation to pass a resolution warning Americans off armed ships.

More HELP WANTS were printed in the Post-Dispatch during February than in the FOUR other St. Louis newspapers COMBINED!

PRIEST IS KILLED BY WOMAN IN A ST. PAUL CHURCH

Polish Pastor Fatally Shot Just After He Leaves Confessional.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 4.—In the presence of several worshipers, the Rev. Henry Jakjeski, 50 years old, pastor of St. Casimir's Polish Catholic Church here, was shot and instantly killed at the church tonight by Agnes Dudeke, 38 years old, who told the police the priest had wronged her.

Father Jakjeski had emerged from a small confession room at the front of the church building and was seated on a chair at the right of the altar when the woman entered the building. A boy who had been to confession passed her as she enterd A woman and a girl also were in the church. The woman approached the rail of the altar, ten feet from Jakjeski.

She paused a moment in prayer. Suddenly she drew a revolver from her muff and started shooting at Father Jakjeski. One shot penetrated the priest's head above the left eye. He never moved from his chair. Five shots were fired, one other taking effect.

Noise of the shots were heard outside and passers-by rushed into the building. The woman sank to her knees before the altar, where she remained until the police arrived.

"Yes, I shot him," she repeated over and over.

As she was escorted to the patrol wagon threats of violence were made by an angry and rapidly increasing crowd. That the woman had charged Father Jakjeski with being the father of her child was related after the shooting by John A. Jakjeski, a nephew of the murdered priest and auditor of the Mercantile State Bank of Minneapolis.

"Four years ago in Minneapolis the matter was threshed out in court," he said. "The woman lost the case. Two years ago she threw pepper in his eyes. Since then she had repeatedly threatened to kill him.

"On one occasion she came to his residence with a baby in her arms. She was denied admission and police called. Before they arrived she had gone. What she planned to do we do not know. My uncle believed she was demented."

Father Jakjeski played an important part in the founding of St. Casimir's parish 24 years ago. Later he had a parish at Minneapolis. Two years ago he was transferred back to St. Casimir and has served here since. Weeping men and women testified to the high regard in which he was held by parishoners.

According to the police, Mrs. Dudeke, whose husband is a laborer, left her home at 330 Twenty-second avenue, Northeast Minneapolis, with $4.50 in her possession. With this she purchased a revolver and a box of cartridges. She is said to have 10 children.

GERMANS GAIN AT DOUAUMONT IN FURIOUS BATTLE

Paris Admits Crown Prince's Troops Again Gained Foothold in Village, Where Ground Is Taken and Retaken.

Reports From French Sources Say the German Sacrifice Is Greater Than in Any Other Battle.

French Hold Height South of Village, Which Is Necessary for Development of German Plan.

By Associated Press.

PARIS, March 4.—Continuation of the struggle before Verdun, especially at the village of Douaumont, four miles northeast of Verdun, where the fighting is furious with alternate advance and recoil, is recorded in the statement issued tonight by the War Office. West of the Meuse the bombardment is intense. The statement says:

"In Artois an attack by the enemy, with the object of driving us from the crater we occupy near the road from Neuville to Lafolie, was repulsed.

Bombardment West of Meuse.

"In the region of Verdun a very violent bombardment has been in progress all day on the left bank of the Meuse at Hill 304 and Cote de L'Oie. On the right bank, the enemy, after an intense bombardment, directed on the Haudromont wood, east of Cote du Poivre, launched against our positions an attack which was stopped by our machine gun and infantry fire.

"In the morning the Germans had succeeded in again gaining a foothold in the village of Douaumont from which we had driven him last evening by a counter attack. The struggle continues desperately, with alternative advances and recoil, for the possession of the village.

"In the Woevre there has been less activity on the part of the artillery.

"In Lorraine, in the region of the Ponds of Thiaville, after artillery preparation, we carried several sections of an enemy trench. About 60 prisoners were taken, including one officer. Two machine guns and one bomb thrower also remain in our hands."

The fire of French machine guns and rifles has been pouring death for two days into the ranks of the Germans attacking en masse the village Douaumont.

The French hold the summit of the knoll, which dominates the village from the south. Parts of the town have been taken and retaken repeatedly.

Unprecedented Sacrifice of Men.

Eye-witnesses assert that nothing at Charleroi, on the Marne, along the Yser or in the Champagne equaled the sacrifice which the troops of the German Crown Prince already have made for the village of Douaumont.

The attack is no longer the subject of speculation whether it is intended for a rectification of the German front or perhaps as a demonstration for the sake of moral effect upon the people of Germany and neutrals. It is the opinion in all quarters that the Crown Prince has determined to pay the price necessary to capture Verdun, if possible, drive the French from the right bank of the Meuse and establish a front along that river if he is unable to pierce the lines and open up the way to Chalons and Paris.

All information thus far received indicates that the Germans already have paid a very high price and that Verdun itself has not been shaken. Paris remains confident that the Germans will find it impossible to achieve eventual success.

Rain fell over the battlefield today, turning into snow as was the case on the fourth day of the battle.

Village Is in Ruins.

The determination of the German attacks on the village of Douaumont are explained by the strategic advantage of the height to the south held by the French, barring the way to the bastion and fort. The village itself, composed of about 50 houses, now is only smoking ruins. It is dominated, together with the ravines at the foot of the advanced bastions of the fort, by the French batteries massed on the plateau and heights in the rear, so that the instant the Germans come to the clearing from the woods and ravines they are immediately exposed to a galling fire.

Possession of the plateau of Douaumont is essential to the Germans in view of operations seemingly projected in the region of Vaux, but it is pointed out that, even with the line from Pepper Hill (Cote du Poivre) to Douaumont in their hands, the Germans again would find the French solidly fortified from Froide Terre to Souville and Vaux, where sacrifices equal to those made in the assaults upon Douaumont would be necessary to gain the slightest advantage. All reports reaching Paris represent the French troops as in the highest spirits with ample reinforcements in reserve for all eventualities. The defense lines around Verdun thus far have been assured by the troops of the Verdun sector without the intervention of

strong reserves, available in case of need.

The apprehension caused in Paris by the ground given up to the Germans in the first battle has disappeared under analysis, the public being reminded that field strategy sometimes requires that forces retire in order to advance, as in the case of the battle of the Marne.

Berlin Reports Increase in French Artillery Fire.

BERLIN, via London, March 4.—The statement from headquarters today says:

"The fighting to the southeast of Ypres has for the time being come to a standstill. The position held by us prior to Feb. 14 is firmly in our hands and the bastion is in the hands of the enemy.

"On both sides of the Meuse the French increased the activity of their artillery and after a great increase in the volume of their fire they attacked the village of Douaumont and our lines adjoining it. They were repulsed partly in close range fighting and sustained heavy loss. We took more than 1000 unwounded prisoners.

"After the work of clearing the battlefield it has been ascertained that the booty taken since Feb. 22 has been increased from 37 guns and 75 machine guns to 115 guns and 161 machine guns.

"Near Obersept, northwest of Pfirt (in Alsace), the enemy attempted in vain to recapture the position taken by us on Feb. 13. His first attack succeeded partly in reaching our trenches from which, however, he immediately was ejected by a counter attack. Our curtain of fire prevented a repetition of the attack from developing except in some places. The enemy after suffering losses, consisting of a great number of killed or wounded and 80 prisoners, was compelled to retreat to his former position."

BERLIN TELLS OF SINKING OF THREE ALLIED WARSHIPS

LONDON, March 4.—According to an announcement of the German admiralty two French auxiliary cruisers and one British patrol boat have been sunk by submarines, the French ships off Havre and the other at the mouth of the Thames. A Paris newspaper denies that any warcraft were sent to the bottom off Havre.

It is possible that one of the auxiliary cruisers referred to is the Provence, which was sunk in the Mediterranean a week ago with the loss of more than 3000 lives.

From Leghorn, Italy, comes the news of the sinking of the 333 foot steamer Giava, by an Austrian submarine. A Reuter dispatch from Athens says a British steamer has reached Piraeus with 33 of the Giava's crew.

The British steamer Teutonian has been sunk, according to Lloyds. All the crew was safely landed. The Teutonian was a steamer of 4824 tons.

TURKS SPLIT BY FALL OF BITLIS

PETROGRAD, via London, March 4.—For the second time in a trifle over a fortnight the Russians have broken through the Turkish front. The importance of the taking of Bitlis, officially announced last night, is two-fold, in the opinion of Russian military authorities, inasmuch as it notably increases the security of the Russian left flank in the Caucasian operations and also further opens the way to Bagdad, the goal of this southern movement, for a junction with the British forces near that point.

The Turks are rushing reinforcements from Mesopotamia, not only for the defense of Bitlis, but to aid the Turkish troops retreating from Erzerum. These troops will be forced to take a roundabout route to reach the defeated Turkish third army, if they are not definitely checked by the Russian success in the Lake Van region.

Bitlis also served the Turks as a point of communication between the troops operating in the Mush district and about Lake Urumiah, over the border in Persia. With the command of the whole Lake Van territory in their hands, the Russians now effectually separate these forces.

Bitlis is not a fortress, but its location in the narrow valley of the Bitlis-Chai River, with the country on both sides extremely difficult to negotiate, gave it a strong defense advantage. In addition, it had been fortified by the Turks.

Russian observers estimate the strength of the Turks opposing them in the Bitlis district as two divisions of infantry and artillery, with a strong admixture of German troops.

The official statement issued tonight says the Russians in Persia occupied the town of Bijar, about 50 miles northwest of Hamdan, after an engagement.

The following official communication regarding the capture of Bitlis has been issued by the War Office:

"Details of the capture of Bitlis show that our troops attacked the position without firing a shot. The attack was made at night during a snowstorm. About 3 o'clock in the morning a bayonet charge was ordered and the Turks, after a desperate resistance, were dislodged. The Turkish artillery position was stormed after hand-to-hand fighting, as a result of which the defenders, who fought with the greatest desperation, were all killed.

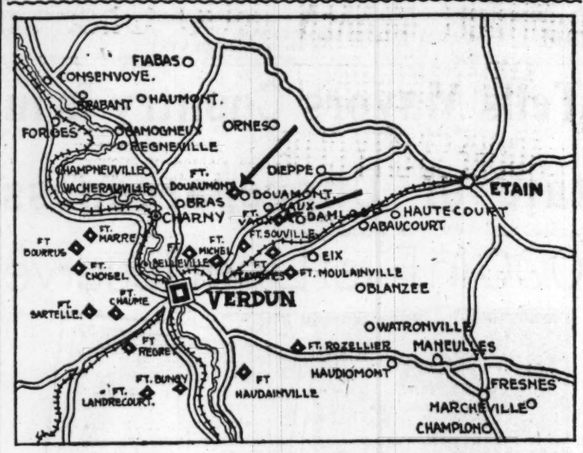
"On the position and in pursuit of the enemy we captured 20 guns of the latest Krupp type, all of which were in good condition. We also captured a huge quantity of gun and rifle cartridges and in Bitlis itself a large depot of artillery munitions. During the pursuit numerous Turks were sabered. The number of prisoners has increased and includes 40 officers."

ENVER PASHA IS AT JERUSALEM

BERLIN, by wireless to Sayville, March 4.—Dispatches from Constantinople report the arrival at Jerusalem of Enver Pasha, Turkish Minister of War, accompanied by Djemal Pasha, commander of the Fourth Turkish army. The Ulemas (interpreters of the Koran) of Palestine Sheikhs of different sects and other prominent persons, receive Ever Pasha, who also visited the heads of Christian societies.

Prayers were held for the victory of Islam. The whole population greeted Enver Pasha with enthusiasm.

Map Showing Scene of Heavy Fighting Northeast of Verdun



A DESPERATE struggle, with alternate advance and recoil, is in progress in the village of Douaumont, where the Germans again gained a foothold yesterday, after having been driven away by the French Friday night. There was severe fighting several days ago at Vaux, which the French hold. The Germans since the beginning of the Verdun battle have captured all the towns north of the bend in the river at Vacherauville.

34 Italian Cannon Taken by Austrians at Durazzo.

BERLIN, by wireless to Sayville, March 4.—A statement issued in Vienna by Austrian army headquarters received here says: "The total number of Italian cannon taken in Durazzo has reached 24, with 11,400 rifles."

Reuter Dispatch Says Fall of Bagdad Is Near.

LONDON, March 4.—The fall of Bagdad is considered imminent, according to an Athens dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Co.

Advices from a diplomatic source in Constantinople, said the dispatch, are that an attempt has been made to assassinate Enver Pasha, the War Minister, who was wounded. The Duke of Mecklenburg, "in view of the gravity of the situation," has telegraphed the German Emperor urging him to send reinforcements to Constantinople. The Siva powder magazine at Constantinople has blown up in consequence of a fire.

Bryan in Capital As House Puts Off Ship Issue Vote

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that its attitude was strongly against any interferences with the President in diplomatic negotiations on the submarine controversy.

Former Secretary Bryan, as soon as he arrived in Washington, conferred with his closest friend in Congress, Representative Bailey of Pennsylvania, who has been in constant communication with him over the armed ship controversy. Mr. Bailey gave him a full report on the latest developments in the situation.

Representatives Pou and Garrett would not discuss details of the conference, but it was learned that the President insisted there be no unnecessary delay in reaching a vote in the House. The President takes the position that foreign nations must be informed quickly and emphatically that the majority in Congress stands with him. The two committeemen replied that the Rules Committee would meet Monday and that arrangements probably could be made for a vote Tuesday. They were unable to predict, however, whether the vote would be taken on the McLemore resolution or a substitute.

SWEDEN WARNS NATIONALS TO STAY OFF ARMED SHIPS

STOCKHOLM, via London, March 4.—The Foreign Office informs the Associated Press that a warning against embarking on armed merchantmen has been issued to Swedish citizens.

Colorado Democrats Indorse President's Armed Ship Stand.

DENVER, Colo., March 4.—The actions and policities of President Wilson in enforcing the rights of American citizens and in dealing with the foreign relations of the United States and belligerent nations, are "approved and ratified" in resolutions adopted late today by the Democratic State Central Committee. The resolutions pledge support of Colorado Democrats to the President and call upon "Senators and Representatives in Congress to support President Wilson as a part of their duty as American citizens.

TRYING PERIOD FOR WORLD, POPE SAYS IN LENTEN LETTER

Tells Cardinal Vicar of Rome Peace Should Be Implored With Prayers, Penance and Good Works.

ROME, March 4.—Pope Benedict has addressed a pastoral letter to Cardinal Basilio Pompili, Cardinal Vicar of Rome, dealing with the Lenten season.

In this letter the Pope refers to the terribly trying period through which the world is passing, the desirability of peace and the neccessity of imploring it from on high with prayers, penance and good works. He asks the Cardinal to urge the faithful of the church to follow his behest.

Senate Gets First Big Army Bill to Reach Congress

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service examination. The President also would have power to appoint one man from each regiment to the military academy.

How Officers Would Be Trained.

The reserve officers' training corps would have senior and junior grades established at civil educational institutions, where military courses are provided with an army officer detailed as instructor. The senior grade units would be placed at colleges and universities and the junior grade at high schools. Five hours per week would be required in the senior grade and three in the junior, devoted to military training. Summer camps for field training of the cadets would be provided by the Government.

The regulations under which graduates would be appointed to the reserve corps are left to the President. Such appointees must be at least 21 years of age, and must obligate themselves to serve for 10 years. Their maximum is fixed at 50,000.

The Federal volunteer force is provided for in general language, leaving the whole question of enlistment, training, reserve and the like to the discretion of the President. The clause is an amendment of the volunteer act to permit organization of such a force in peace times as well as war. The only restriction in number is that the force shall not exceed an average of 600 for each congressional district, approximately 250,000 men in all. Regular army pay would be provided for both officers and men during periods of training.

Latitude Left to President.

The plan is the continental army proposal in effect, although the committee decided to leave to the President the widest possible latitude so that the requirements of the service could be fitted to the needs of each section of the country individually. It is believed by framers of the bill that this plan will offer the best means of testing the policy of creating an adequate volunteer army in peace times and the committee desired to enact no regulations which would hamper the experiments. The continental plan proposed by Secretary Garrison, committee members thought, was too definite in many respects. For federalization of the national guard the bill adopts, with numerous modifications, the plan proposed by the National Guard Association. The rate of pay for officers, however, was set at $500 a year for all of the rank of captain or above, $300 for first lieutenants and certain specified staff officers and $250 for second lieutenants. The association plan proposed higher pay for general officers.

Enlisted men would receive pay on the basis of one-fourth of the regular army pay, and would contract on enlistment to serve the United States in times of war. The enlistment period is fixed at six years, three with the colors and three in reserve, and organization of the regular is prescribed. Provision is made also for examination of all officers appointed by state officers and for the inclusion of officers of the national guard in the personnel of the militia division of the War Department.

The national guard provisions of the bill probably will be substituted by the House provisions when the two bills reach conference. The Senate committee gave particular attention to the regular army features, while the House made the federalization project its main object. Since the same general outline is followed in both bills, the agreement will not be delayed, it is thought.

YESTERDAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, March 4.

Brandeis hearing continued.

Resumed debate on Shields water-power bill.

Recessed at 5:40 p. m. to noon Monday.

HOUSE.

Considered war-claim bills and legislative appropriation bill.

Agricultural appropriation bill carrying approximately $24,500,000 favorably reported.

Rules Committee discussed resolutions to warn Americans off armed ships, but adjourned without acting.

Adjourned at 4:45 p. m. to noon Sunday when a memorial session for the late Representative Witherspoon of Mississippi will be held.

'CONQUER OR DIE!' ORDER OF DAY TO FRENCH AT VERDUN

"Fortress Must Never Be Taken," Troops Were Told Before Germans Charged.

DEFENDER NOW A HERO

Gen. Petain Has Home in Auto, Directs Great Battle From Peasant's Cottage.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and the New York World.

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PARIS, March 4.—From a small, bare room in a peasant's cottage, Gen. Henri Philippe Petain, the new hero of France, is directing the defense of Verdun. Le Journal, which publishes a description of these remarkable headquarters, says that until a week ago the General's home was in a machine gun automobile. From the time the German bombardment began until Feb. 28, the General has not used a bed. He has slept in catnaps while racing about in his motor.

"It is not easy to penetrate the little hamlet of a few hundred inhabitants where resides the Verdun General Staff," says Le Journal.

"Thick mud covers roads torn up by thousands of automobiles which pass daily and every three paces a gendarme demands to see one's papers.

"All the houses in the village are occupied by officers. The members of the general staff are installed in corridors and barns. Headquarters itself is situated in the town hall with one stern gendarme on guard at the door.

"Near by there is a sordid peasant cottage and this is the real headquarters. Here resides the General, who is the soul of the Verdun defense. He came there a week ago and installed himself in a small room, bare except for a plain table and several chairs. The room is without heat or light other than that supplied by oil lamps.

Secret Service Men on Guard.

"Outside no sentry is visible, but one remarks little groups of secret service men in civilian clothes whose chief duty is to prevent the General from being annoyed by anxious peasants still left in the community.

"When the German bombardment began the General took his mitrailleuse motor, and until Feb. 28 he did not lie down to sleep. What little sleep he managed to obtain was snatched in catnaps while racing about in his automobile."

Questioned as to the ultimate fate of Verdun, staff officers at this headquarters replied, in effect, as follows:

"'Nobody can say definitely, because our adversaries are playing their all. But the trick has not been taken. With means inferior to theirs, we have broken a long-prepared attack. Let us await developments with confidence. Our adversaries cannot repeat their original efforts indefinitely and our admirable troops have not reached the end of their magnificent endeavor.'"

Gen. Petain jokingly says of himself that he has had 14 chauffeurs in two months. One of these drivers, after saying farewell to the General, remarked to one of his compatriots:

"I've had enough, thank you, of taking the General around. I don't mind being killed by the Germans, but I would rather not have my neck broken in an old machine gun automobile."

"And you know the poor fellow died in a trench, while I am still here," said the hero of Verdun sadly as he told this story.

Petain Loved by Men.

Gen. Petain was about to retire as a Colonel when the war broke out. For his courage and ability in the Charleroi retreat, Gen. Joffre commended him and afterward made him a General of Brigade. Later he was given a division and now he commands an army and is exceeded in authority only by Joffre and Castelnau.

Although almost 60, Gen. Petain is wonderfully vigorous. His men love him because he shirks none of their hardships. In Champagne recently he led a company across two miles of rough ground at double quick.

By the visit paid to him by President Poincaire he has been recognized officially as the savior of Verdun.

Apart from the indefatigable energy which makes him appear to be everywhere at once, Gen. Petain's chief characteristic is his aversion to being photograpeh. His invariable excuse for refusing to be snap-shotted is: "My mug is too much like Count Zeppelin's."

Witnesses reaching Paris tell vividly of the struggle at Verdun. According to a wounded soldier's account, the defenders were inspired to their heroism by the following order of the day issued from general headquarters just before the German assaults began:

"Verdun must never be taken. Conquer or die."

This Poilou also told how Commandant De Font Reaux of a regiment of infantry led his men into the inferno of shell fire at Douaumont.

"Before we lined up for the attack our commander ordered us to fix bayonet and then repeated to us the general order given to us on the eve of the battle.

Charge Led by Commander.

"As he shouted: 'Verdun must never be taken, conquer or die,' he seized a rifle from one of us and, with bayonet slanted forward for the charge, led us at a furious pace into the thick of that frightful chaos of shrapnel and high explosive shells."

How a battle was fought by the light of red and green jets of liquid fire was told by another wounded man, who was posted in a quarry at Louvemont.

"Our quarry ran back into a deep cave under the plateau on which the Germans had to attack. My detachment took refuge in the cave while the 48-hours' bombardment was going on. When the attack was delivered, the Germans arriving at the top of the plateau, they dug an opening into the cave from above. But when they saw us with a machine gun ready to receive them they did not enter our cave.

"In the meantime, they had got into the quarry, so that part of our detachment had to rush forward to defend the cave's mouth. The Germans had no machine gun, but they used long jets of liquid fire of red and green color and it was by the light thus given that the struggle went on.

"For some minutes the Germans held their ground by piling up their dead so as to form a barricade, but at last our machine gun drove them back and they were then attacked and driven out by another of our detachments which arrived in the nick of time."

GERMAN VIEW OF ATTACK AS A DEFENSIVE MOVE

Berlin Official Denounces Such Proceedure Against Submarines.

DISCUSSES BRITISH CLAIM

Tells Post-Dispatch Correspondent No Action at Washington Can Alter Recent Order.

By KARL H. VON WIEGAND.

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BERLIN, via Amsterdam, March 4.—"Whatever action Congress or President Wilson may take cannot change the determination of the German Government to stand firm on its memorandum in regard to the manner in which armed belligerent merchant ships will be considered and treated as auxiliary warships, nor alter the military necessity of compelling Germany to adopt this course against England as a result of her illegal arming of such ships for offensive purposes."

Thus declared a high Government official to me tonight, in discussing the situation in Washington. Continuing, he said:

"I am not saying this as defying Washington, with which we have no quarrel and want none. If, as some of the dispatches indicate, some of the American people consider the mere question of enforcing the right to travel on belligerent armed ships as affecting American honor which we cannot admit or see, I will say that for Germany the question of conducting submarine warfare within the lines of the memorandum made necessary by England's attitude and action is even more than a question of national honor. It is a question of life or death to our nation. It certainly cannot be claimed that the question in any way affects vital principles or the interests of the United States."

"Attack in Defense" Unacceptable.

Asked if a break in relations might mean war between Germany and the United States, this official said: "The question of breaking off relations, or what that might lead to, is in Washington's hands, not ours. Our submarine war is against England, not against America. We maintain we are within our rights when we consider belligerent armed merchant ships as auxiliary warships, in view of their attacks upon our submarines and the secret orders of the British admiralty, which the British now admit but call 'attack in defense.'"

The German Government, I was told, could not admit the legality of "attack in self-defense," the contention being that the British had coined this phrase, now realizing that the American people might take the German view.

The British admission that her armed merchant ships had, on occasion, taken the offensive—that is had fired on a submarine before it had made any hostile move—but holding that the mere approach of a submarine is a hostile action, is held by the German Government to prove Germany's contention that they are belligerent warships armed for offensive, and justifying as legal Germany's action to treat such ships as war craft.

The British contention that the mere approach of a submarine is to be regarded by a merchant ship as a hostile act, if allowed to stand, it is claimed here, would in itself render impossible the very thing Washington wants Germany to do—that is to warn and search the ship first—that if the legitimate purpose of a submarine's approach for the purpose of searching a merchantman is to be regarded as a hostile act, for which such an armed trader may "attack in self-defense," then a submarine expecting such an attack from an armed merchant ship also has the right to "attack in self-defense."

Wilson Expected to Modify Views.

Developments in Washington, and the conflict between President Wilson and Congress over the question of warning Americans is being watched here with keenest interest. Nowhere, however, does one get an impression that there is a likelihood of the Government receding from its stand in the memorandum.

There is determination in all quarters to carry the matter through. There is considerable surprise tht the memorandum delivered to Ambassador Girard has not yet reached Washington. In some quarters there is an expression of confidence that the President may modify his views when he receives this memorandum, together with fac-similes of the British admiralty's orders.

The memorandum, I understand, reached the American embassy in London on Feb. 17. It is assumed here that Ambassador Page forwarded the Berlin diplomatic pouch containing it on the first steamer after that date.

Important conferences have been held in the last two days. I have reason to believe these had to do with Germany's policy toward the United States. Persons who ought to know informed me that popular sentiment and the general attitude everywhere is such that the Government has no choice but to stand pat on the memorandum.

During 1915 the Post-Dispatch printed 5380 Classified Instruction Want Ads, a gain of 526 and 3635 more than the four other St. Louis newspapers combined printed during the same period.

ENTIRE LINES OF GERMANS CUT DOWN AT VERDUN; DEAD PILED AGAINST DEFENSES

Out of Company of 200 Men and 24 Officers Only 70 Men and One Officer Survived, Prisoner Declares.

PARIS, March 4.—A German soldier belonging to the Tenth Company of the Twelfth Regiment of Infantry, now a prisoner behind the French lines, has made the following statement concerning his own experiences in the battle of Verdun.

"On the twenty-first of February, before my company had taken part in any engagement, it was composed of 200 men and 24 officers. Then we went into battle and the organization came out reduced to one officer and 70 men. It is a miracle that any of us escaped the massacre.

"The French artillery fire and the marksmanship of the French infantrymen made equally heavy ravages in the ranks of almost all the other companies of my regiment."

During the night of Feb. 25, the 105th Regiment of German Infantry, belonging to the Thirtieth Division, took up its position for an attack. A prisoner, who belonged to this organization has supplied the following account of what occurred on this portion of the line:

"On Feb. 26 three German battalions delivered an assault against a wood held by the French. The Chasseurs let us advance, but suddenly they opened up with their machine guns, delivering a fire so concentrated and well directed that entire lines of our men were cut down.

Saved Self by "Playing Dead."

"During a certain stage of the fighting we were effectively flanked by the French. For a moment my company stopped and for us this move was fatal. The French fire poured in and the dead bodies of the victims covered the ground. Then the entire Twelfth Regiment hesitated in turn. The men scattered and made their escape as best they could. Our losses were enormous. As for myself I had only time to throw myself down on the ground and play dead man.

"When night came I started making my way through a nearby wood, but I had completely lost my bearing and it was impossible for me to find my company. For two days I wandered about aimlessly and it was only on Feb. 29 in the morning that a French patrol caught me. I was taken prisoner and conducted within the French lines."

Another German soldier, also a prisoner of the French belonging to the Twenty-fourth regiment of infantry, described his experiences in much the same way. On the 27th of February, this man is quoted as saying, a German Battalion was ordered to occupy the wood to the east of the fort at Douaumont. At the time this instruction was given certain companies of the third battalion of German Chasseurs were being subjected to a French attack at a point to the left of the Twenty-fourth infantry.

"We were successful," this German soldier relates, "in making our way into the wood, but it was impossible to go any farther, for we were at once subjected to a fierce fire from the French machine guns. We were under a well directed crossfire, the bullets singing all about us. This put a complete stop to our forward movement and compelled us to retreat.

Two-Thirds of Force Struck Down.

"We saved ourselves but at a terrific cost. Two-thirds of our effective force had been struck down, either killed or wounded. Some of my comrades, who were escaping, endeavored to bring me with them but my condition was such that I could not be moved. The evening of the 27th French patrols came over the battlefield and I was taken prisoner."

A Captain of French Chasseurs has given an account of the attack of the Germans near Douaumont made Thursday, March 2. The various engagements of this day particularly against the village of Douaumont, resulted in heavy losses to the German troops, according to this source of information. The Captain was actively engaged on the French side and he tells the following story:

"German forces on Thursday along a front of three miles delivered a furious attack, with the village of Douaumont as the principal objective. Detachments of two German divisions brought into the zone of fighting threw themselves against our organization. This movement began at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and had been preceded by a bombardment of indescribable intensity.

Germans Showed Tenacious Bravery.

"I want to say that our antagonists showed tenacious bravery, but the French chasseurs once again lived up to their reputation. They went into the fight and a veritable slaughter of the enemy was their reward. There were stacks of the enemy dead right up against our barbed-wire entanglements. Fierce fighting at close quarters and in some places hand-to-hand engagements, gave us the advantage at some points. Nevertheless the Germans came back to the charge again with fresh companies.

"The second attack began precisely at 6 o'clock and it was as determined as the first, if not more so.

"A little after this I was wounded in the head by the explosion of a shell, but in spite of this injury and before being carried away from the field of battle, I was able to take note of the good work done by my men. Their aggression throughout the day's fighting had been marvelous.

"It is a fact that we suffered losses during these actions, but our casualties were much under those of the enemy."

The French official eye-witness gives the following description of the defense of Herbebois, three miles to the north of Fort Douaumont, where the great battle of Verdun began, 12 days ago:

"It was on Feb. 21 at 7:20 o'clock in the morning that the Germans began the preparation for their attack. They unloosed a formidable artillery fire on the positions which they wished to capture and shells of all calibers fell like hail from those of 150 millimeters (6 inches) to shells of 305 millimeters (12 inches). It was a veritable drum fire of an intensity unknown till now and this drum fire played by series on objective points selected for attack.

"A zone 500 meters broad and a kilometer deep, for example, was pounded in such fashion that the earth was plowed up on the entire superficial extent in mathematical fashion. Lacrymoral shells and suffocating gas shells were also employed by the enemy to accentuate the moral effect. However, despite this formidable rain of projectiles, the Germans on the first day succeeded only in entering our first line of defense at Herbebois and taking a small supporting work of the line. It was a miserable result compared with the mechanical effort and the human effort which they had put forth against our advanced line of resistance. It was then that my regiment was called upon to counter-attack and to try to recapture the first line lost. When I say line it must be understood that there were only some chaotic elements of trenches and furrows torn up with shell holes.

63 Men Glad at Capture.

"At midnight accordingly on the 21st the men were in position and we were rather happy at having at the first moment of our appearance on the ground taken 63 prisoners who seemed to be very glad not to have to measure themselves against us any further. They rubbed their hands and seemed quite gay at the thought of having ended their share in the war. Among these prisoners was an officer, who, having tried to escape, was killed by the sentry who was charged with guarding them.

"Our counter attack took place on Feb. 22 at 4:30 o'clock in the morning. After a moment the Boches attacked again. No one had the advantage in this affair. Then during the day there was on both sides an unceasing struggle with hand grenades while some of our men strained every effort, under the protection of the grenade throwers, to consolidate our positions. At this moment we no longer had any natural shelter. Herbebois is covered with tree stumps among which some large trees stand up. On a depth of 300 to 400 meters behind is ordinary undergrowth but the Germans had opened upon it a terrible outpouring of projectiles. The woods at certain places was transformed into a clearing. It was not necessary, therefore, to maneuver through this confusion by climbing and crawling and to work and raise barricades and to organize the shell holes. It was snowing and I leave you to imagine the endurance which our men showed in the circumstances.

"A Veritable Massacre."

"During the course of the night of Feb. 22 the Germans renewed their offensive. A bombardment of amazing violence and of a mortal precision did not permit them, however, to advance an inch. When their infantry in turn attempted to strike, our men made them suffer sanguinary losses.

"It was still worse during the day of the twenty-third. After having once more copiously rained shells on our lines the Germans sent against us at least the equivalent of a battalion. This attack in a body excited to the highest degree the valor of our men. They sighted the Germans at 50 meters and under methodic volleys the latter fell, howling in terrible fashion. It was a veritable massacre.

"Our 75-millimeters on their side had executed a curtain fire, preventing the enemy from retiring, and very few of the assailants succeeded in getting to the rear. Almost all were left on the battlefield. That did not prevent the Germans from attacking us once more during the course of the day, but without any better success. Four of our grenadiers, posted at the entrance of a communication trench which united our old firing trench, now occupied by the Germans, with a supporting trench which we still held, killed groups of the enemy as fast as they presented themselves.

"They carried on this work for more than 24 hours. During these fights was revealed once more the warlike ardor of the French. Despite the losses incurred (almost all exclusively from artillery fire, for in the infantry engagements we had constantly the upper hand) their morale did not waver for a moment, our troopers maneuvering as during field practice. They saw without a murmur their comrades fall around them and they continued their work as quietly as at exercise. One has reason to be proud of commanding such men.

"At 4:15 o'clock in the afternoon of Feb. 23, while we had not retired a single foot, order was given us to withdraw carefully, for the Wavrille wood having been taken, we ran the risk of being surrounded. We waited for the night to come. Some of our men when they learned that we were to leave Herbebois, protested, asking to be allowed to fight and die on the spot. However, tactical reasons obliged us to evacuate Herbebois, and we had to reckon with the general situation.

"The retirement order was executed and we went to take a position in front of the Le Chaume wood, communicating with the units on our right and left.

"The defence of Herbebois will certainly remain one of the most glorious pages in the annals of our regiment. Germans came in successive waves to smash themselves against our ranks, although we were in a fighting position of the most disadvantageous kind. We voluntarily abandoned the ground where hundreds and hundreds of German corpses show sufficiently how effective was our resistance. Neither the bombardment nor the snow nor the difficulties of obtaining provisions, nor fatigue could overcome the stubborn bravery of our infantry. By thus holding firm in this corner of Herbebois, they, for their part, contributed to win time for the arrival of the necessary reserves and they seriously interfered with the advance of the Germans. It was sacrifices of this kind repeated at numerous points on our front which held back the enemy flood."

U. S. MUNITIONS BUT SMALL PART OF BRITISH TOTAL

Lloyd-George Replies to Charge That America Is Responsible for Length of War.

LONDON, March 4.—David Lloyd-George, Minister for Munitions, today gave out the following statement:

"Paragraphs have appeared in the German-American press to the effect that the supply of munitions from the United States to the allies is the chief factor which prolongs the war. Wild statements have been circulated indicating that the allies are practically dependent on American supplies for munitions being used in France.

"This is very far from being the case. The munitions of war which have been received from the United States form but a small portion of those which have been utilized on the British front."

The Munitions Ministry here was for a considerable time very much opposed on principle to giving any indication of the percentage of American munitions used. Although the statement now given is in very general terms, it still is in effect an absolute denial of German assertions.

"Not One American Shell Has Been Fired From French Gun."

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PARIS, March 4.—In reply to inquiry as to whether ammunition imported from America has been, as Germans have asserted, of vital importance to the allies in carrying on the war, the Ministry of Munitions here today gave out the following statement to the Post-Dispatch:

"What M. Albert Thomas stated in an interview on Nov. 14 last still holds true.

"No American-made shell has been fired from any French gun up to the present.

"That our artillery will eventually use shells imported from the United States is extremely probable. In fact, such shells would presumably have been used already but for delay in execution and shipment of orders given to American manufacturers. In any case, however, the munitions made in America will not form more than a very small percentage of our shell expenditure for a long time to come.

"With regard to shells manufactured in France from materials purchased in the United States, no exact figures can be supplied because there is no record immediately available which would show the percentage of raw metal imports devoted exclusively to the manufacture of munitions.

"For instance, France is importing considerable quantities of American steel and copper which are widely distributed among many industries in need of such materials. To ascertain what proportion of this steel and copper is being turned into shells would be a long and arduous undertaking not feasible at the present time. To give figures on the total importations would be misleading. On a broad estimate, however, it is possible to state that not 10 per cent of the shells fired on the French front are made from materials coming from the United States."

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MAYORS FORM PERMANENT ASSOCIATION TO ADVOCATE PREPAREDNESS

VOLUNTEER ARMY PLAN ATTACKED BY DEFENSE SPEAKER

System Encourages Shirking of Duty, Author of Military Works Says.

POINTS FOR FRICTION

Monroe Doctrine Likely to Cause Trouble in Future, H. A. Wisewood Declares.

The need of national preparedness, as shown by past experience and present warning, was pointed out yesterday by the speakers at the second session of the National Defense Conference of Mayors and Representatives at the Planters Hotel.

Frederick L. Huidekoper of Washington, D. C., an author of military works, speaking on "Military History and Policy," said that school books and histories had not told the truth about the wars in which the United States had participated.

"The volunteer system is the best method of shirking known," he said. "Obligatory military service should be no more avoided than the payment of taxes. Yet the American Government is about the last to adhere to the volunteer system."

He said that short term enlistments had played havoc several times with the American armies, and caused an immense expenditure of money. The futility of the system, he said, was very well shown by Gen. Scott's experience in the Mexican war. Scott, he said, had an army containing many volunteers, whose enlistment periods were beginning to end when he was within a few days' march of Mexico City. Seven of 11 regiments disbanded, leaving him to twirl his thumbs and cool his heels while waiting for raw recruits to replace them.

This substituting trained troops with raw recruits, he declared, made Congress party to the crime, as Congress allowed short-term enlistments. A universal sytem of training would do away with such trouble in the future, he explained.

Woman Gets Big Ovation.

Mrs. Lindon W. Bates of New York, chairman of the Woman's Section of the Movement for National Preparedness, received the biggest ovation of the conference when she completed her address on "National Defense and Women."

"When the man is sacrificed in time of war it is the woman who is the victim," she said. "In order to have peace we must have the security of adequate defense. The age of credulity has been dethroned by the age of reason. The world is settling its questions with shot and shell, with poison gas and bayonets.

"We must be prepared for whatever may come. The past shows us that the unprepared people were those who suffered the most. What was true then will be true in the future. We must be prepared to defend this country against whatever enemy may appear in the future."

Robert Bacon, former Ambassador to France, read a letter from Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in which the latter urged equal opportunity for all persons to obtain military training. (The letter is printed in full in the General News Section, page 10B, of this issue).

Henry A. Wise Wood of New York, former member of the Naval Consulting Board, spoke on "The Wisdom and Ethics of Preparedness." He said friction is bound to arise where the fundamental policies of two nations conflict, and that where there is friction eventually there may be war. Our Monroe doctrine, which has forbidden European nations to colonize on this hemisphere, he said, is in conflict with the colonial policy of the German empire, as may be verified by the reading of the writings of German economists. This causes a point of contact at which friction may arise, he said, because neither nation wants to surrender its policy. Wisdom, therefore, dictates, he explained, that to maintain our Monroe doctrine a navy sufficient for quick and effective use should be maintained.

Touches on Asiatic Policy.

"Our Asiatic exclusion policy, as practised on the Pacific Coast," he said, "conflicts with the national policy of Japan, which nation insists that its citizens everywhere shall be received upon a footing of equality with those of the other first Powers. Thus, if we intend to maintain our exclusion policy, it will be necessary for us to have a navy sufficiently large to enforce it if challenged.

"If it so happens that the Monroe doctrine and our exclusion policy be challenged simultaneously by the nations affected, it will be necessary for us to have a navy large enough to defeat the world's second naval Power in the Atlantic, and the world's fifth naval Power in the Pacific. At the present moment we could defeat neither the two together nor the first alone, having long since lost to Germany our position of superiority.

"Were Germany, with her superior fleet, to make a feint towards South America, and thus draw our fleet in that direction, the remainder of her fleet could safely convoy to our shores the 837,000 troops which our general staff has stated can be landed here in 40 days, when we should suffer the outrage of invasion.

"If, on the other hand, our fleet were retained in northern waters to protect us, then Germany could easily establish herself in South or Central America, from which it would be next to impossible to drive her. The possibility illustrates the imperative need of our having at all times a fleet large enough to cover the Atlantic and the Pacific as well, for if Japan were to co-operate with Germany we should there have to deal with the fleets of that nation or suffer invasion of our western coast."

Pacific Nations Endangered.

In speaking of the ethics of preparedness, he said that the closest approach to a condition of perpetual and universal peace that it is possible to attain among nations can be achieved only when the preparedness of military power has been gathered into the hands of the pacific peoples. It is obvious that our own forms of civilization, he explained, as well as the forms of civilization enjoyed by other pacific nations are in jeopardy so long as the machinery of compulsion remains wholly in the hands of those bent upon conquest.

The report of the committee on resolutions was read at the opening of the afternoon session, and adopted unanimously by a rising vote when Mayor James G. Woodward of Atlanta, the committee chairman, said that representatives from every section of the country had aided in its preparation.

The 11 mayors who issued the original call for the conference, with the addition of Mayor Henry C. Read of Fort Smith, Ark., were elected the governing committee for the permanent organization which was decided upon. Each representative became automatically a member of the organization. Mayor W. H. Thompson of Chicago gave the movement his approval in a short speech at the session's end.

The governing committee held its first session after the adjournment of the conference, and elected Mayor Kiel chairman, and Horace D. Johns, secretary of the local branch of the National Security League, secretary. Officials of the latter organization placed its local branch at the disposal of the new organization. St. Louis will therefore be headquarters for the present.

The governing committee decided that five members would constitute a quorum, and that meetings would be called at the chairman's order.

The committee will immediately enter upon a campaign to orgainze each state and awaken them to the needs of preparedness. The mayor of the largest city in each state will be asked to appoint a state representative, who in turn will name congressional representatives to spread the preparedness campaign. The committee in this manner overcame the objections of many representatives to the small committee, who had insisted on the floor that more states be represented.

ACTION OF BRANDEIS IN BANKRUPTCY CASE AIRED

Senate Committee Questioned His Law Partner Three Hours—Will Call Nominee's Former Client.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Louis D. Brandeis' law partner, E. F. McClennen, was cross-examined for three hours today before the Senate subcommittee investigating Brandeis' fitness to be a Supreme Court Justice.

Counsel for those opposing confirmation asked particularly about the Lennox bankruptcy case and at the end of the cross-examination the subcommittee decided to summon James T. Lennox, the principal in that litigation, and requested McClennen to produce stenographic note books in which reports of conversations on the subject in the Brandeis law office were made.

Opponents to Brandeis' confirmation charge that he was guilty of unprofessional conduct in filing an involuntary bankruptcy petition against Lennox based partly on an assignment he is alleged to have previously advised Lennox to make.

School Mothers' Club Meeting.

The Mother's Club of the Washington school will meet at 3:30 p. m., Wednesday. Dr. Ella Marx will speak on "Child Hygiene." There will be a musical program.

Miss Anne Morgan and Others Outline Part Women Can Play in the Preparedness Movement in Addresses Before the Town Club



MRS. LINDON W. BATES.

Daughter of Late Financier Says They Should Furnish Idealistic and Spiritual Impetus to Plan for National Defense.

By Marguerite Martyn.

THE officers of the Women's Section attending the Mayors' Conference on National Preparedness, with their propaganda on the woman's part in the movement, were given their largest hearing at the Town Club luncheon yesterady. Those who made addresses were Mrs. Linden W. Bates, Mrs. Lindsay Van Rensselaer, Mrs. J. L. George and Miss Anne Morgan.

Undoubtedly Miss Morgan, as the daughter of a man who was the most powerful in his way that the world has ever known, and scarcely less interesting in the personality in which she herself is coming to be known, was the magnet that drew many women to the meeting, rather than an interest in a subject heretofore so seemingly unrelated to woman's realm as national defense.

But Miss Morgan is beginning to express impatience with the public's curiosity, as it obscures the cause to which she is lending her support. Upon a previous visit to St. Louis she allowed herself to be interviewed. Upon this visit, to be on the safe side, lest personal comment and description take up space that might be devoted to preparedness propaganda, Miss Morgan refused to meet reporters. And, sweetly and graciously withal, she escaped being interviewed, despite all well-tried reportorial methods.

The only opportunity of personal contact was, therefore, at this club luncheon, where she sat at the right of Miss Robb, the president. The moment she entered the room she was recognized, as her presence was felt, for a vivid, vital, forceful presence she is, without any effort at self-assertion. She wore a broad black hat of simple pattern, a simple blouse of intense blue with black suit, tail-less ermine furs and a string of pearls knotted about her throat. But her keen dark eyes, her clean skin, glowing with vitality, her alert, animated interest in everything being done and said, distinguished her among other women of vivid personality.

Tears Up Her Address.

MISS MORGAN is willing to lend financial aid and attest her sincerity by giving of her time and presence. She will even read a formal written address for the cause to which she is devoted. But that, it seems, is as much of herself as she will give to the public at large. The moment she had finished reading her paper, when the reporters asked her for a copy for publication, she tore it into bits and tossed the scraps beneath the table.

It was a quite general and rather academic arrangement of her views upon preparedness she had prepared.

She spoke of woman's recognized duty in furnishing the idealism and spiritual part of the movement. She was unmindful that women's ideals had not always taken a broad view of matters. She reviewed the past in which woman's power to sacrifice had been measured by her faith in God. Intensive supervision of the household may have shortened woman's vision, but, she recalled, "woman's ideal of partiotism survived through the ages. It once gave a simple peasant maid the vision to save her king and country."

She was mindful that since the last great need for American woman's sacrifice for country, new standards of life and false values have crept in.

"Civilization has played the world a sorry trick; we now have false values," she said. "For this some people say that women are chiefly responsible. Now, and not too late, the women of America are face to face with a great opportunity. Shall we fail? Ten thousand times no! and again ten thousand times no!

"It is to the women to force upon the nation a realization that universal military service is the corner stone of the nation's existence. Women demand equality—then they must share an equal part when the demand upon them comes in a crisis.

"We worship the god, materialism, and women in their selfishness, individualism refused to see into the outside world, are a great cause of this materialism."

Women Should Respond.

SHE begged that women respond to the President's question as to what is the view in the homes, upon the subject of defense.

"Woman's response should not be merely emotional," she said. "It need not be their part to be technically informed. Programs and curriculum might be left to experts. But women should be ready to demand that the men they may be required to surrender to their country, go prepared with a fighting chance.

"It is in our hands to arouse the entire country. Ours is the educational problem in which the home is the first field. Immediate action is demanded now of the women of America. Let us so arouse public opinion upon the need of preparedness that nothing can stand against it. The women of Belgium were called upon to give their all when it was too late. Let us see that we are not too late. We shall help to arouse the world to preparedness, not to meet war, but to preserve peace."

Lastly she made a plea for co-operation.

"As an individual we can achieve but little. And as women can we afford to be faithless to our trust as the mothers of the race?"

Mrs. Lindon W. Bates, dressed in deep mourning, made an appealing figure and an address that played upon the patriotic emotion of every woman present. A fact not mentioned, which would have made her appeal even more touching, is that her mourning is for a beloved son lost on the Lusitania.

Mrs. Bates alluded to extensive travels and residence abroad and confessed to a period of her life when she would not have been willing to give a son for her country. She told of how, in Naples, during a spell of homesickness, an opportune vision of an American battleship had brought her to a sudden and lasting sense of patriotism.

The remarks of Mrs. Van Rensselaer, who is a majestic figure of a woman, were in an intensely practical view. She read a set of resolutions embodying the views of the women's section, of which she is secretary, and told how response had exceeded her greatest expectation.

"Congress is said to be a sensitive body," said she. "Let us let our Representatives in Congress know that the women collectively and individually would have our share in the preparedness for war, just as we have our share of the sacrifice in time of war."

She referred to the National Red Cross as a natural outlet for woman's activity and approved the citizens' training camp as a first step in the program.

Mrs. George Is Witty.

MRS. GEORGE'S speech was as witty as so serious a subject could well be made. Heretofore she has been most prominently identified with anti-suffrage.

She ridiculed a type of woman she had met who had declared herself against preparedness because it would increase her taxes.

"I think we ought to boycott—not socially, but morally—that type of woman," she said.

She told of walking past a Red Cross workroom with a woman friend who exclaimed:

"I wish I had a million dollars to give those people."

"Well, why do you not, then, give them, say two hours of your time of a morning?"

"Oh," replied the friend, "my mornings are all full. I am taking lessons in bridge and golf and I want to take some more vocal."

WOMEN'S MASS MEETING FOR PREPAREDNESS THIS AFTERNOON

Men Also Invited to Gathering Which Will Give Opportunity to Meet Three Distinguished Visitors.

A women's mass meeting will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock, in Parlor A of the Planters Hotel. The principal address will be delivered by Mrs. Lindon W. Bates of New York City, chairman of the Woman's Section of the Movement for National Preparedness, according to announcement last night by Mrs. Philip N. Moore of St. Louis, president of the National Council of Women.

Mrs. Lindsay Van Rensselaer and Miss Anne Morgan, both of New York City, respectively secretary and treasurer of the Woman's Section, also are on the program.

Back of this afternoon's meeting, which will be open free to men as well as women, is a desire to make the co-operation by women in the effort for more adequate armaments truly national, Mrs. Moore explained. A St. Louis branch of the Woman's Section will be organized, Mrs. Moore prophesied, and resolutions urging women generally to join in the movement will be offered.

One purpose of the meeting is to enable St. Louisans interested in the question of preparedness to meet the three distinguished New York women who have come to St. Louis in connection with the Mayors' conference.

Negro Delegate Wants Men of His Race Prepared.

Richard M. Bolden, of New York, the single negro delegate attending the convention of Mayors here in the interest of national preparedness, introduced a resolution providing for the military training of the negroes in America.

In the resolution Boldin states that the negroes are willing to offer their entire energies to aid the country in any capacity permitted by their training.

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Eastern Millionaire Discusses Federalization of the Militia, Advocating Training Camps.

MAYOR PRAISES ST. LOUIS

New York Executive Glad This City Is Throwing Off Slovenly Methods.

Mayor Mitchel, Cornelius Vanderbilt and S. Stanwood Menken of New York, the last named being president of the National Security League, spoke on preparedness at the City Club luncheon yesterday.

Vanderbilt, who spoke first, discussed federalization of the militia. He said the officers and men had talked it over and any complete federalization on equitable lines, which recognized the service they have given to the states and through the states to the nation, would be acceptable, if for the best interests of the country.

He was applauded when he urged those who are interested and have not the time to give to the national guard to go to training camps, the physical, mental and moral benefits of which, he said, could not be overestimated.

"We have let individualism and localism run riot in the United States," he said. "We need more team work, more community of interest, less 'I am as good as you' and more of 'you are as good as I.'"

Mayor Mitchel discussed municipal problems for a while, telling what had been done to improve the financial system of New York. He was glad to see St. Louis, he said, like New York, throwing off slovenly methods of municipal management. It was coming to be understood that to the service of the people should be applied the same efficiency as is applied to private business.

But, he said, there was a problem which dwarfed all municipal problems, affecting the life and future and integrity of the whole nation, going to the root of national and democratic life; and that was preparedness. Representatives of 75 cities, he related, had come to St. Louis to demand of Congress that the country be adequately defended against aggression of any power on earth.

He demanded a navy equal to that of any other power and a trained citizenship in arms.

Menken tried to impress the great seriousness of the menace of unpreparedness. He said that the United States had not a single first-class battleship on the Pacific Coast, while Japan had a dozen. The country, he said, did not have enough powder for two hours' battle, and there were only two mine layers, one on each coast.

If the United States, he said, went into action, in its present condition, against any one of four or five nations, it would be like ordering its defenders to be murdered. He urged everybody to join the Security League and write to their Congressmen.

TUMULTY DENOUNCES PAPER'S REPORT WILSON IS TO QUIT

Publication of Such a Rumor at This Time Dishonors Itself, Is White House Statement.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Aroused by the publication of reports yesterday that President Wilson, because of the European war strain, was about to resign from the office, the White House today issued this formal statement:

"When Secretary Tumulty's attention was called to the story appearing in certain papers that the President had resigned or was considering resigning, he said:

"'An American newspaper that would publish a story of that kind in a situation like the one which now confronts America dishonors itself.'"

GERMAN CONSUL REINDICTED

SAN FRANCISCO, March 4.—New indictments charging a conspiracy against the King of Great Britain were returned today by the Federal grand jury against Franz Bopp, German Consul-General here, and six others.

They were substitutes for similar indictments rendered invalid last night, when Judge Maurice T. Dooling in the United States District Court sustained demurrers against them.

TELLS DYSPEPTICS WHAT TO EAT

AND AVOID INDIGESTION

Indigestion and practically all forms of stomach trouble, about nine times out of ten, are due to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach; therefore, stomach sufferers should either avoid eating food that is acid in its nature or which by chemical action in the stomach develops acidity or they should continue to eat what they please in reason and then counteract or sweeten the sour acid fermentation they create in their stomach by taking immediately after the meal a teaspoonful of Bisurated Magnesia in a little hot or cold water. This will neutralize any excess acid which may be present, or which may be formed, and instead of the usual feeling of uneasiness and fullness, you probably will find that your food agrees with you perfectly. There is nothing better than Bisurated Magnesia as a food corrective and antacid. It has no direct action on the stomach; but by neutralizing the acidity of the food contents, and thus removing the source of the acid irritation, which inflames the delicate stomach lining, it does more than could be possibly done by any drug or medicine that acts upon the stomach lining rather than the stomach contents. Get a little Bisurated Magnesia from your druggist, eat what you want at your next meal, follow directions above and see if this isn't the best advice you ever had on the subject of eating.—ADV.

500 Cheer Preparedness Speeches at Banquet

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the singing of "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean." The last song was "The Star Spangled Banner," sung after the projection of a large picture of the American flag standing above the smoke of a sea battle.

Among the distinguished men who sat at the speakers' table on either side of Toastmaster Judge Taylor were Mayors Mitchel of New York, Thompson of Chicago, and Kiel; David R. Francis, newly appointed Ambassador to Russia; Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mr. Wickersham, Robert Bacon, former Ambassador to France; Charles Nagel, former Secretary of Commerce and Labor; Albert Bond Lambert, George M. Brown, Mr. Reedy, Clarence H. Howard, president of the Business Men's League; Harold W. Newman, Commissioner of Public Safety of New Orleans, and S. Stanwood Menken, president of the National Security League.

WE MAY HAVE TO FIGHT TOMORROW, SAYS WICKERSHAM

Former Attorney-General Wickersham, speaking at the banquet, declared that the United States is "in a frightful state of unpreparedness." He began by comparing national armaments to municipal police forces, and continued by outlining the urgent reasons for preparedness, as follows:

"American citizens have been killed on the high seas; American vessels have been destroyed and American commerce has been interfered with. The protection of our citizens in the exercise of what the Department of State has truly declared to be "their indisputable rights" to travel on the high seas in what that Department declares should be the well justified confidence that their lives will not be endangered by acts done in clear violation of universally acknowledged international obligations, and certainly in the confidence that their own Government will sustain them in the exercise of their rights, has become a matter of grave international dispute. The assertion of the right of one belligerent to enforce a decree of non-intercourse with another belligerent by seizing neutral ships and cargoes on making payment therefor, constitutes a serious menace to our commercial expansion. We cannot know at what moment some question may arise which not even the most eloquent or persuasive epistle will settle to our satisfaction. The President of the United States himself has said that at any moment a grave international question might arise. In Mexico, our fruitless and purposeless intervention of two years ago, and our policy of playing favorites with first one bandit chief and then the other, has brought only increased destruction and desolation in that unhappy land.

Powerful Nation Across Pacific.

"At some not far distant day our duty to interfere with a military force to restore order and police that country may be made manifest to our people. Across the Pacific is a great, powerful military nation, once our friend, but whose subjects we have treated with opprobrium and in deliberate violation of our treaty obligations. Inhabiting a group of overcrowded islands, the Japanese are bound to seek avenues of expansion in other lands. It is easily within the bounds of possibility that her ambitions and her national interests may clash with ours and give rise to questions incapable of peaceful settlement. We may, as is so basely proposed by the present majority in the House of Representatives, abandon our responsibilities in the Philippine Islands, but we can never escape the moral consequences which a seizure of any part of them by the Japanese or any other Power would entail. And when the present war is over and the European Powers enlist in a new commercial rivalry, all the more intense because of the huge burden of debt under which they all will labor, the two strategic points which we occupy on the trade routes of the world, the Panama Canal and the Hawaiian Islands, will be coveted objects by the other great maritime Powers. Then, too, that same commercial rivalry may lead to projects of colonization in this hemisphere which will require us to determine whether the Monroe Doctrine is yet a vital policy of our national welfare which we must enforce by arms, if need be.

Possibility of Disturbance.

"Enough has been said to indicate the possibilities of a disturbance of our national security, quite as serious, to say the least, as those domestic conditions which have induced the maintenance of permanent organized and uniformed police forces in our cities, and to dispose of the silly talk of the pacifists that no preparation for the exercise of armed force by our country is necessary to the protection of our national interests. The dreams of universal peace and of the settlement of all international differences through the automatic operation of arbitration treaties which constitute the panacea of Mr. Bryan and Mr. Henry Ford, were rudely shattered by the German invasion of Belgium, and once more it has been made manifest that all civilization rests in the last analysis on force. China has numbers greater than any other nation, yet she is powerless to resist aggression for lack of organization and a militant patriotism and stands in hourly dread of Japan, which has a population only one-eighth the size of hers, but a people trained to military service and animated with the spirit of sacrificial devotion to her national ideals.

What Does Nation Need?

"But we already have a regular army and a national navy, and in many of the states there are bodies of organized militia, or volunteer citizen soldiery, known as the national guard. Is anything more needed? This question arose in the minds of many Americans at the outbreak of the European war, but it was a long time before any authentic or reliable information could be secured from the Government upon which the ordinary citizen might intelligently answer the inquiry. An increasing demand to know the facts has finally produced official reports and the testimony of experts before congressional committees, and we now have enough information to realize that our nation is in a frightful state of unpreparedness to resist aggression, to protect its interest or to force observance of international rights.

"The most candid expression of the facts has been furnished by the War Department. Secretary Garrison's last report to Congress, accompanied by the reports of the various staff departments, demonstrates the accuracy of the unofficial statements formerly given by Gen. Wood, Gen. Wotherspoon and others. From the Navy Department we have had a more confused and a far less candid series of statements upon which no exact reliance can be placed. But little by littel the real facts have been drawn from the bureau chiefs by the congressional committees. From all these sources the information is cumulative and convincing that at the present time we are almost powerless to resist an attack upon us by any first-class Power.

"The problem of holding the Hawaiian Islands, the War College says, can be solved only by making Oahu, therefore, Pearl Harbor, secure against all comers.

Canal Defenses Weak.

"This, they say, requires the co-operation of the fleet and a garrison of about 25,000 officers and men. We now have there less than 10,000.

"The defense of the Panama Canal, they say, would require a land force of 24,000; there are about 6300 there now.

"The total present actual strength of the army is about 93,000 officers and men, or nearly 8000 below its authorized strength.

"According to the annual report of the Secretary of War, only 67,000 constitute the mobile army troops, 20,000 being coast defense troops, and of this number about 29,000 are on duty outside the United States leaving therein about 48,000 mobile army troops and 13,000 coast defense troops. About 20,000 officers and men of the mobile force are employed on the Mexican border. The total number reported enrolled in the national guard of the various states is 129,000.

"The condition of the navy is gradually being made known. Admiral Dewey says: 'We need more ships, more officers and more men.' The Admiral of the fleet, Admiral Fletcher, reports 'an alarming shortage' of men in his fleet.

"Admiral Knight is quoted as having testified before Congress only a few days ago that with the present ships and men the navy is unable to put forth more than 50 per cent of its strength owing to the lack of men on its fast cruisers. Other authorities report the lack of scout cruisers, hydroaeroplanes, submarines and other necessary adjuncts to the fleet. More than a year ago Congress authorized the construction of two new battleships but through the procrastination of the Navy Department the contracts for their construction are not yet awarded.

More Men Needed in Navy.

"The President has recommended to Congress an immediate increase of 11,000 men in various arms of the navy and of at least 300 midshipmen at Annapolis. He has also recommended a substantial increase in the building program.

"Now, the fleet, of course, constitutes the nation's first line of defense against invasion of either our outposts or our mainland.

"How easy an invasion of our continent would be unless our navy was adequate to destroy the fleet protecting the invading army, is shown by the report of the War College. Experience in the present war has demonstrated the ease with which large bodies of troops may be transported over seas. The War College estimates that Germany could land a force of 387,000 men and 81,000 animals on any chosen point on the Atlantic seaboard within 16 days of leaving European ports, and within 30 days thereafter 440,000 additional men and 86,000 animals.

"How are we to prepare to meet any of these contingencies? The Secretary of War recommends to Congress an increase in the general army so as to bring its number up to 140,000. Congress seems in a fair way to carry out that recommendation.

"Properly organized so as to admit of the expansion of the military units by the addition of recruits in the time of war, such increase would be helpful.

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An Easy Way to Get Fat and Be Strong

The trouble with most thin folks who wish to gain weight is that they insist on drugging their stomach or stuffing it with greasy foods; rubbing on useless "flesh creams" or following some foolish physical culture stunt, while the real cause of thinness goes untouched. You cannot get fat until your digestive tract assimilates the food you eat.

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BIGGEST NAVY AND UNIVERSAL SERVICE ARE ADVOCATED BY MAYORS

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but all authorities agree that provisions should be made for at least 400,000 reserve soldiers with military training, to constitute, with the regular army and navy, the first line of defense.

"Secretary Garrison, in his last report to Congress, recommended the creation of a national volunteer force to gradually supply this need, and the President urged upon Congress the adoption of this plan.

Weakness of State Militia.

"The weakness of the State Militia organizations lies in the constitutional restrictions upon their organization and employment. For while Congress is given the power to provide for organizing, arming and disciplining the militia and for governing such part of them as may be employed in the service of the United States, there is reserved to the respective States the appointment of officers and the authority of training the militia according to the discipline prescribed by Congress.

"While, therefore, Congress may lay down the rules by which the national guard in the respective States should be organized and trained, and may assign officers of the regular army to instruct them, the officers of the Guard must be appointed by the State authorities and the actual training of the men conducted by them.

"Moreover, militia can only be called in the national service for three purposes, viz.: 'To execute the laws of the Union, to suppress insurrections and to repel invasions.

"On more than one occasion during the war of 1812, State militiamen refused to obey orders to cross the boundaries into Canada upon the grounds that the Constitution did not require them to leave the country, and in at least two instances, for the same reason, Governors of states forbade their militia to leave the state in response to the President's orders. True, the President can call the State National Guard into service as volunteers for any other purpose authorized by Congress, but he cannot compel them to obey the call, and no previous agreement to do so could be legally enforced at courtmartial as has been proposed in Congress.

"These essential weaknesses in the state militia as a part of our first line defense have been demonstrated in every war from the Revolution to the war with Spain. Again and again did Gen. Washington protest against reliance on the state militia system.

"Every student of military affairs, every authoritative writer on military organization has pointed out the needless waste of lives and property which this system always has occasioned. Yet, despite these lessons, in 1906 Congress amended the militia law by requiring the President in case he should be required to call for volunteers to first call upon the national guard before taking other volunteers. That law shou'd be repealed without delay as constituting a gratuitous obstacle to the safety of the nation.

Cause of Garrison's Action.

"It was in recognition of these facts that Secretary Garrison recommended to Congress the establishment of a reserve or continental army of 400,000 men, subject only to Federal control. It was not an ideal plan, but it was designed to be the first step away from the old militia system with its divided control, its confused lack of system and its political officers. It left the national guard to be called out when needed, but removed it from the first line of national defense.

"On Jan. 12, 1916, Secretary Garrison wrote to the President: 'If the determination arrived at by those whose knowledge, skill and experience makes their judgment practically conclusive is accepted, we should have in this country a force of at least 500,000 men ready for instant response to a call in the event of war or the imminence of war.

"As to the character of such force, he wrote: 'So far as the military part of the defense is concerned, there can be no honest or worthy solution which does not result in national forces under the exclusive control and authority of the national Government. Any other system is illusory, not real, is apparent and not substantial.'

"The present European war has shown that modern warfare is conducted with larger masses of men and more implements of war than ever before. If we are to have any army, therefore, it must be large enough to resist at least an invading force as military students demonstrate could be landed on our shores within a month after the outbreak of hostilities.

Thoroughly Trained Men Demanded.

"Moreover, modern warfare requires men more thoroughly trained to military exercise than ever before, and our increasing population and congested cities have made our people less used to arms than when the country was sparsely settled, game abounded, and all men were more or less accustomed to the use of firearms. Look at Canada, and learn that at the present time it requires nearly a year of discipline and drill to fit men for the firing line. If we would properly prepare, we should require every man between the ages of 20 and 25 to serve for one year in the army, and then to become a member of the reserve army. This is the true democratic practice.

"France and Switzerland are the great republican examples of the value of that system. But it is contrary to the traditions of our people and therefore we cannot expect the system to be adopted here without a profound change in public sentiment throughout the country. Yet it is the only true principle of national preparation to prevent war.

"But whatever force we have, must be organized, equipped and disciplined in conformity with the best modern standards and must be large enough to defend, with the aid of our fleet, our shores from successful invasion until a larger volunteer force can be raised and equipped. Modern conditions of warfare allow but short time for preparation. We might be called upon on short notice to send 200,000 men to the Philippines, or to Mexico, or elsewhere. God forbid that we should. If we are ready to do it, we probably never shall. But we must not tolerate the plan now pending in Congress to meet the demand for national defense by distributing Federal moneys among the state militia organizations.

"This is the bogus system against which Secretary Garrison protested with his official life. It is a sham, political system; not a real, substantial military provision for the defense of the nation's interests, its ideals, its honor.

"All over our land we see signs of a quickened sense of responsibility for national defense. The Plattsburg camp furnished an example of the readiness of thousands of our finest young men of all classes to give the time and effort necessary to fit themselves for military service in the defense of their country's interests. The movement is widening and gathering strength. Let Congress take heed. From all over the land an awakening of the young men is bringing strength and aid to the movement to prepare this nation to exert its potential strength with effectiveness should the need arise. The growth of this movement is irresistible.

"'If you look across the hilltops that meet the Northern sky,
Long moving lines of rising dust your vision may descry;
And now the wind, an instant, tears the cloudy veil aside,
And floats aloft our spangled flag in glory and in pride,
And bayonets in the sunlight gleam, and bands brave music pour,
They are coming, Brother Jonathan, three hundred thousand more.'"

Text of National Defense Resolutions Adopted by Mayors' Conference Yesterday

THE following resolution, drafted by the Committee on Resolutions of the National Defense Conference of Mayors, was adopted by a unanimous vote at the closing session of the conference yesterday.

Whereas, the purpose of the establishment of the Republic was, among other things, to provide for the common defense, and thereby to secure to ourselves the blessings of liberty and peace, and

Whereas, this nation is today without adequate defense by sea or land, and is almost wholly without the means to protect its territory, defend its people or safeguard its institutions against possible aggression, and

Whereas, for the common national defense there are required:

An adequate navy,
Ample coast defenses,
A mobile army and
A mobilization of the organized resources of the nation, and

Whereas, the General Board of the Navy has reported to the Secretary of the Navy that "our present navy is not sufficient to give due weight to the diplomatic remonstrance of the United States in peace nor to enforce its policies in war,"

Whereas, we believe that the navy should be increased with all speed until we shall have become the first naval Power of the world, with strength on the Atlantic equal to that of any other Power upon that ocean, and with additional strength upon the Pacific such as to make of us the first naval Power upon that ocean, and

Whereas, the General Staff of the Army has submitted to the War Department a plan for a moderate increase of the regular army and for the organization, distribution and equipment thereof, and for the increase and complete manning of coast defenses

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the Mayors and members of Mayors' Committees upon National Defense of the Cities of the United States, in convention assembled, do hereby demand the immediate authorization by Congress of the building program of the General Board of the Navy of July 30, 1915, together with such additions and modifications as their expert knowledge and experience may indicate to be necessary at this time. And we do further demand that the personnel of the navy be increased in conformity with the requirements of the service as interpreted by the General Board; and be it further

Resolved, that we demand the increase and complete manning of coast defenses as recommended by the General Staff; and be it further

Resolved, that we demand the immediate increase, organization and disposition of the regular army as recommended by the General Staff; and be it further

Resolved, that recognizing the military obligation equally with the civic obligation as a fundamental duty of democratic citizenship in a republic, and to establish a system which will affect alike every man in the republic, we approve and recommend the adoption of universal military training under Federal control throughout the United States; and be it further

Resolved, that we approve and recommend the immediate formulation of plans by the Federal Government for the organization and mobilization of the physical resources of the country, and, to that end, among other things, we specifically recommend:

1. That all arsenals, ordnance, rifle and other munition-producing plants supported by Federal appropriation be located at a distance from the Atlantic and Pacific seaboards and from the Canadian and Mexican borders, as recommended in the recent report of the General Staff of the Army.

2. That steps be taken by the Federal Government to effect in time of peace a standardization of all material which may be required by the Government in time of war.

3. That the transportation facilities, industries and general resources of the country be so marshaled and organized as to make them promptly available for service upon the outbreak of war.

4. That Federal legislation to effectuate the foregoing be enacted by the present Congress; and be it further

Resolved, that copies of these resolutions be at once transmitted to the Senate and House of Representatives, and that a copy thereof be transmitted at once to each Senator and Representative of the national Congress.

J. C. Woodward, Chairman, Mayor of Atlanta Ga.; John Purroy Mitchel, Mayor of the City of New York; Lewis Fisher, Mayor of Galveston, Texas; Harold W. Newman, representing Mayor of New Orleans, La.; Willet M. Spooner, representing Mayor of Milwaukee, Wis.; Ira E. Wight, representing Mayor of St. Louis, Mo.; Wesley King, representing Mayor of Salt Lake City, Utah; J. A. C. Kennedy, representing Mayor of Omaha, Neb.; Henry Harmon Chamberlin, representing Mayor of Worcester, Mass.; John W. Thomas, representing Mayor of Chicago, Ill.

THIS resolution was offered on the floor of the Convention and adopted after a debate:

Resolved, that it is the conviction of this conference that citizens military training camps, such as those held at Plattsburgh, N. Y., and Fort Sheridan, Ill., in 1915, are a great help in bringing about military preparedness; and

Therefore, this conference urges each and every Mayor of cities in the United States to make known publicly in their own cities that such citizens military training camps will be held this year at Plattsburgh, N. Y., and at Fort Sheridan, Ill., commencing the first week in June; at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., commencing the first week in April; and at Salt Lake City, Utah, commencing the third week in August, and that information concerning these camps may be obtained without charge by writing to Military Training Camps Association, 31 Nassau street, New York, N. Y.; Fort Sheridan Training Camp Association, Federal Building, Chicago, Ill., and General Committee Utah Citizens Military Training Camp, Salt Lake City, Utah.

THE following resolution was also offered on the floor of the Convention and adopted after a debate:

Resolved: That the Mayors' Organization, which brought about the present conference, be made a permanent organization.

Resolved: That the primary purpose of the permanent organization shall be to bring home to the people of the United States the present defenseless condition of the country and, through the people to obtain immediate action on the part of Congress to remedy such defenseless condition.

Resolved: That the governing committee of the permanent organization be constituted of the Mayors of the following cities: Atlanta, Ga.; Boston, Mass.; Chicago, Ill.; Galveston, Tex.; Los Angeles, Cal.; Milwaukee, Wis.; New Orleans, La.; New York, N. Y.; Omaha, Neb.; Portland, Ore., and St. Louis, Mo.; and that said committee meet and organize immediately.

Resolved: That the executive committee shall have the power to adopt suitable rules and regulations for the future conduct of the organization and to call such meetings at such times and places as in their judgment shall best advance the purposes of the organization; and shall increase its members by one member from each state of the Union, said representative to be selected by the cities within each state.

Resolved: That the executive committee invite the Mayors or chief magistrates of all the cities and towns of our country to join the organization.

Resolved: That the executive committee should, where practicable, cooperate with and aid all other organizations with like purposes, to carry out the general objects of the organization.

Resolved: That for many courtesies extended, the conference is indebted to the St. Louis Defense Committee, the Mayor and city officials, the Business Men's League, the National Security League (St. Louis Branch), and the ladies of St. Louis; and that a sincere vote of thanks is due our hosts for their genuine hospitality.

MAYOR THOMPSON ATTACKS WILSON'S MEXICAN POLICY

Mayor William Hale Thompson of Chicago ended his banquet speech with a thinly veiled attack on President Wilson. It was the concluding speech of the evening. Many persons who were listening to the applause in an effort to feel the pulse of the gathering were of the opinion that the applause that greeted his criticism of the President was faint in comparison with the outburst that followed another speaker's attack on Secretary Daniels.

The Chicago Mayor said he did not wish to be understood as speaking as the Mayor of Chicago, but as a private citizen. It was not his desire to offend anyone present, he added, but, if things he said were not altogether pleasant he could not help it, as they were his honest sentiments.

He recited how he was the descendant of a long line of clipper ship owners in the day when they were not merely captains but were traders of "the old Yankee stock." His grandfather once owned 11 clipper ships. His father had owned vessels in the merchant marine but had volunteered for service in the Civil War and served as a lieutenant commander under Farragut in all of the latter's battles.

Cites Liverpool Price of Wheat.

"What has happened to our merchant marine?" he asked. "It has been swept from the seas. Wheat today is selling for $1.75 in Liverpool, while in our own country it is selling for $1.05. That is because there are no American bottoms in which it can be transported at this time. Every man, woman and child in the United States is affected directly or indirectly by this state of affairs."

After the Civil War, he said, whenever Congress would prove niggardly with the Navy his father would walk the floor in their home and express his opinion of Congress. "And it was not a pleasant day when that old seadog was riled. He predicted years ago that affairs would come to pass in the navy which exist there today."

Recalls a Blaine Incident.

He was reminded of the time when James G. Blaine was Secretary of State. An American was in a Mexican prison and, after a long exchange of cablegrams and diplomatic notes, the American Minister in Mexico wired that on the following morning the prisoner was to be turned loose and was to be shot as he left the prison.

Blaine wired back instructions to throw an American flag around that man and to serve notice on Mexico that if a single bullet pierced that flag the American people would hold Mexico responsible.

"Today," he shouted, "65,000 Americans have been told to flee Mexico for their lives and nearly 200 Americans have been murdered in Mexico. What manner of leadership is this, I ask you?

"My dad used to tell me to fix my stake of ambition high and even if I never reached it I would go further than I would have done otherwise. When is the President of the United States going to stand by the people? We have had watchful waiting. It is high time we had in this country a man who would drive his stake high enough and have sufficient leadership to lead us to a worthy ambition!"

"Some day not far distant," he said, "demands will be made upon us from a neighbor on our west which we must refuse. Shall we be able to defend our position? When that time comes we shall have to fight unless our defense is made impregnable." Although he did not mention the name of this neighbor, it was evident he referred to Japan.

Mayor Thompson controverted the theory of pacificists that wars can be abolished. As desirable as this Utopian belief is, he said, all the lessons of history are against it. He referred to the fact that the great semi-mythical Trojan war was caused by nothing more than the abduction of a beautiful woman and added that the present war "is nothing less than commercialism gone mad."

He quoted extensively from the messages and speeches of Washington, emphasizing this clause in the first President's first message to Congress:

"To be prepared for war is one of the most effectual means of preserving peace."

While the combatants in Europe are at death grips, Mayor Thompson said, America is walking off with the bone of contention, the prize of the world's commerce. He compared the situation to a dog fight and said that as certainly as the third dog that sneaks away with the bone is pursued by the winner of the fight, so we will be attacked by Europe's victor unless we make ourselves strong enough to keep the bone.

"Our eminent pacifists tell us we we are in no danger of attack if we give no provocation," he said. "Poor little Belgium is the answer! She was ground into the mire for standing up for her treaty rights. Poor old China is another example of a nation relying on right as against might. Can't you hear the world of tomorrow saying 'Poor America! she was so inoffensive. Isn't it too bad her wonderful government had to be sacrificed in her conquest'?

"It has been objected that we cannot afford to prepare. How can we afford not to? How would we oppose an invasion now? Would we pit patriotism against 42-centimeter guns and scientific slaughter of human beings? Shall we send our young men, the flower of America, to certain destruction, like sheep to the shambles? What a needless waste of treasure! What a woeful waste of blood! This is a case where an ounce of prevention is worth a battleship full of cure."

Mayor Thompson did not express an opinion as to the means of defense. This, he said, is a technical question to be left to our naval and military experts with the assurance that the genius that produced the Panama Canal may be depended upon to organize our defenses.

REEDY DENOUNCES CONGRESSMEN WHO OPPOSE PRESIDENT

William Marion Reedy, addressing the Mayors' banquet, declared that within the last 48 hours the country, through Congress, has shown it stands behind President Wilson in his foreign policy; that if this country is to remain a free nation it must insist to the last upon the right of its citizens to travel the high seas unmolested; and that those Congressmen, members of the President's own party, who are hampering his every move, are traitors. He spoke in high praise of "the better element of the opposition party who are rallying patriotically to the support of the President."

"This conference, which is in fact a demonstration of patriotism," Reedy said, "has proved that the heart of this great country is at one with the outlying sections to the east and to the west in standing for preparedness and defense against any threatened infringement of American rights. It has proved that the country will stand with the head of the Government to the very last.

"The trouble is that for so long the nation has been corroded by the canker of peace, has been made slothful by the enjoyment of wealth, that it has come to pass that the citizens do not realize their relation to the national Government and have given little thought to the possibility of having to defend it.

He Quotes "Prince of Peace."

"We are like an ostrich that hides its head in the sand and we do not realize that on the other side of the water hell has broken loose and civilization is in danger. We have been told by softheaded people that war is a relic of barbarism and that it can be eliminated. They talk about the Prince of Peace, but they forget that he said: 'I bring not peace, but a sword.'

"Norman Angell and David Starr Jordan had proved to us before the summer of 1914 that war was impossible, or that if it did come it could not last more than six weeks. We have seen what did happen and at the outbreak of the war I was in a country where for the last seven years the policy of the pacificists had so far ruled the Government that that country was found wholly unprepared so far as its army was concerned."

Reedy here told of the difficulties that beset England at the beginning of the war and said that on the day war was declared he attended a meeting in London in company with 40 members of Parliament, who were worried as to how they would explain to their constituents their votes for war, so imbued was the nation with the idea of pacificism. Reedy said the preparedness of the British navy saved the country from invasion that might have wiped it off the map. He declared he believed that if the army had been as highly prepared as the navy the war would not have come.

"In the beginning of this war," Reedy said, "we saw arbitration vanish into the air. At best arbitration is merely an exchange of language in which an agreement is reached only by each side giving up something. In practice we find that the party that depends upon logic and reason, unless backed by force, gives up everything and gets nothing. Only the small things are arbitrated; the big things are left for the future to work out.

Monroe Doctrine Never Accepted.

"The United States must be prepared, because we have seen no nation can live apart from others. The ties of commerce and trade mean that disputes must come. And, moreover, the Monroe Doctrine has never been definitely and conclusively accepted by any European nation. Even now there are at work in South America foreign influences that mean some day we will have to defend the Monroe Doctrine.

"The United States is dedicated to freedom. It stands for its own rights and for the rights of the little countries. It stands for the rights of its citizens to travel on the seas in safety and it insists that law shall govern and that the rules shall not be changed to give every advantage and none of the risk to one form of belligerency."

Says Socialists Underwent Change.

Reedy referred to the "peace at any price" advocates as "people who run about leaking language at every pore" and said there were plenty like them in Europe before this war began. He said the Socialists of every nation were talking of the brotherhood of man and of "internationalism," declaring they would not fight other Socialists. Yet when war came, "internationalism" gave way to "nationalism" and the Socialists went singing to war.

We have more to look out for than military and naval preparedness, Reedy said. The organization of our social and economic resources is just as important, he said. He declared the great economic efficiency of Germany has proved itself one of the nation's greatest assets. To gain this he would have our social order so organized that there could be no class distinctions. He would have genuine liberty extended to all the people so they would feel more keenly their obligations to the Government.

As to the methods of preparing the army and navy, he said, we might well leave that to the Government experts.

SECURITY LEAGUE HEAD BITTERLY ASSAILS DANIELS

S. Stanwood Menken, president of the National Security League, in a brief but exclamatory speech reviewed the history of the origin of the league and bitterly criticised Secretary of the Navy Daniels. His remarks about Daniels were enthusiastically cheered as were also words he spoke in praise of former Secretary of War Garrison.

He said that the National Security League might, in the beginning, have taken for its motto what he understood was the motto of Missouri: "Show Me." Patriotic men wished to find out whether certain things were true.

They wanted to know if it were true that the United States army had only enough ammunition for a two hours' bombardment at the rate of bombardments on the western front in Europe. It wanted to know whether it were true that there was only one-half of one torpedo to each torpedo boat in the United States navy so that, in an emergency, half of the torpedo flotilla could fire only one shot and then must wait six months before a second torpedo could be built. They wanted to know if it were true that our coast defense guns were of so limited range that a modern European battleship could stand two miles out of their reach and pound them to pieces with its shells.

They wanted to know whether it was true that Congress for years, in the face of recommendations from each succeeding Secretary of War were wasting in pork-barrel politics millions of dollars that should have gone to the national defense. So these patriots formed groups in the various cities until, today, there are 200 of them, all working harmoniously towards the desired goal of national preparedness.

Facts Coming to Light.

Gradually, the speaker said, the facts had come to light. They were readily forthcoming from the War Department, but it was only by piecemeal that any exact, definite information about the navy had been obtained. However, that information was at last in hand and the League at last had definite ends towards which it is striving.

"We possessed then," the speaker exclaimed, "a splendid Secretary of War. That he was not retained was one of the greatest losses our country has suffered. It is a great menace to the country that the portfolio of war is not

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filled by a man who can recognize the national necessities."

There was vociferous applause at this remark and less applause when the speaker said, "We are glad that we have a President broad enough and not too proud to change his mind." He referred to what he said was President Wilson's early unwillingness to turn this country "into an armed camp."

The loudest applause, perhaps, of the whole evening followed when the speaker said: "Secretary Daniels did not say to the Congress, 'How much of a navy should we have?' but he did say, in effect, 'Give the best navy you can for $100,000,000.' It was as if a father, whose child is dying, should say to the doctor, 'Give me the best medicine you can for 49 cents!'"

The Security League had raised no question of militarism, its president declared. It is seeking merely to impress upon the people the futility of trying to depend upon the state militia. We tried to do so in the war of 1812, he declared, and as a result 550,00 American soldiers fought only 50,000 well trained British troops and were defeated in no less than 18 battles when they vastly outnumbered the enemy. Indeed the only actual victory our untrained troops did win in that war, he said, was the battle of New Orleans, which was fought after peace had been arranged.

Congress Is Critised.

The North depended on our antiquated militia system in the Civil War while the South early centralised the control of its troop and, as a result, it took about 2,500,000 Northern troops to defeat less than a million of the South.

Congress, he declared, has been a consistent muddler. It fooled with the abolition question 50 years and then ended by precipiating a great war. It had passed 15 tariff bills in 100 years and each one of them had been attended by panics.

"The first line of American defense," he said, "is to be found in a united people. We must get a proper feeling between those of different national stocks and different classes. We must put the fear of the American people into Congress!"

FORECLOSURE OF ROCK ISLAND IS ASKED BY TRUCTEE'S LAWYER

Counsel for Stockholders, Offering Opposing Action, Wants Receiver Ordered to Pay $500,000 Interest.

CHICAGO, March 4.—Immediate foreclosure on the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway was demanded today by Louis C. Krauthoff, in the hearing of the receiver's petition for instruction regarding certain funds now going on before Judge George A. Carpenter in the U. S. District Court. Krauthoff is attorney for the Central Trust Co. of New York, trustee of $100,000,000 worth of first and refunding mortgage bonds.

Attorneys for the stockholders and the holders of $20,000,000 debenture bonds are urging the Court to instruct Receiver Jacob M. Dickinson to pay the $500,000 interest on these bonds as the only means of saving the road.

Opposition to the demand for foreclosure will be further pressed when the hearing is resumed on Monday.

SIX MEN ON U. S. TORPEDO BOAT HURT BY GASOLINE EXPLOSION

Accident on the Preble at San Diego Believed to Have Been Caused by Leak in Torch.

SAN DIEGO, Calif., March 4.—Six seamen working in the hold of the United States torpedo boat destroyer Preble were badly burned today by the explosion of a can of gasoline. The Preble was tied up at the municipal wharf undergoing repairs to a damaged rudder.

Two of the victims said the explosion was due to the ignition of fumes from a pail of gasoline. Three of the injured men belong to the crew of the Preble and three to the Iris. The injured are: Arthur A. Crossert, coxwain, may die; Charles B. Johnson, boatswain mate, Walter E. Eberle, seaman; John M. McGee, seaman; Harold M. Frank, seaman; and James B. Porter, seaman.

LECTURES ON LATIN AMERICA

Traveler Entertains Spanish Club Members With an Illustrated Lecture.

More than 250 memebrs of the El Centro Latino Americano De San Luis Club, a Spanish social and literary organization, were entertained last night with an illustrated lecture on Latin-American countries by Ernst B. Silsinger, for many years a traveler in those countries. Silsinger was introduced by President Ramon Bustamente of the club. The meeting was in the gymnasium of the Y. W. C. A. at Fourteenth and Locust streets.

Announcement was made that the St. Louis organization has affiliated with a similar club in Chicago, and that the membership has more than doubled during the last few months. Members have under preparation a Spanish comedy to be presented during April.

REPORTS ROOM ROBBED OF $700

James A. Duckworth, a salesman, reported to the police that when he returned to his boarding place, 2616 Glasgow avenue, at 9 o'clock last night he found $700 he had in his room was gone. The entire house had been ransacked, he said, but the police were unable to determine whether anything else was stolen because neither the proprietor, Miss Ada Collins, nor any of the other boarders was at home.

Duckworth said there were two other boarders living at the house, James Howard, a department manager, and William L. Taylor.

FOUR BANK ROBBERS CONVICTED

CHICAGO, March 4.—The four men charged with robbing the Washington Park National Bank of $15,000 recently were found guilty tonight. Deliberations of the jury were brief. Conviction carries with it sentence under the indeterminate law of from year to life imprisonment.

The convicted men are Charles Kramer, Hary Kramer, Harry Fein and Alex. Brodie. Eddie Mack, the fifth man, turned State's evidence and was not prosecuted.

Root's Two Views as to Belgium Contrasted

One Legal, the Other Political

By STERLING E. EDMUNDS,

Lecturer on International Law, St. Louis University Law School.

"THE American people were entitled not merely to feel, but to speak concerning the wrong done to Belgium," said former Secretary Root in his new York speech, Feb. 15. "With the right to speak came the responsibility, and with the responsibility came the duty—duty of government toward all the peaceful men and women in America not to acquiesce in the destruction of the law which protected them, for if the world assents to this great and signal violation of the law of nations, then the law of nations no longer exists and we have no protection save in subserviency or in force."

Elsewhere in this address Mr. Root said:

"The invasion of Belgium was a breach of contract with us for the maintenance of the law of nations, which was the protector of our peace, and the interest which sustained the contract justified an objection to its breach."

The "contract" to which Mr. Root referred was Article 1 of Hague Convention 5, of 1907, which says:

"The territory of neutral Powers is inviolable."

Admirable Sentiments.

These are high-sounding and admirable sentiments, all of which are morally true, but morality is not yet the test of law in international conduct, as Mr. Root well understands. Earnest advocate of the necessity of the widest knowledge in our democracy of the legal rights and duties of states that Mr. Root generally is, he has departed from that advocacy in this great speech to serve a mere partisan end.

The Hague rule referred to made no new rule of law; that neutral territory is inviolable is a principle as old as sovereignty itself and it is founded in that fact.

This Hague article merely declared what the law always has been, and the occasion for its restatement in 1907 was produced by fresh instances of its violation by Russia and Japan in Manchuria and Korea in 1904. It was nothing more than a reminder to belligerents to confine their warlike operations to their own territory and to neutrals that they could find protection only in their own arms, which they were urged to use to repel violations of their own territories.

Premise of Speech.

Mr. Root's political speech appears to be premised on the proposition that some collective responsibility was assumed by signatories to The Hague conventions to vindicate those rules, but this is wholly untrue. There is no responsible enforcing authority in the whole system of international law, and this is its primary weakness. Each state rights its own wrongs as they arise, and though it may appeal to the moral judgment of the rest, they have watched silently while it vindicated the law alone or succumbed to the violation. Tangible self-interest alone has been sufficient to move them. Lamentable as this situation is, it is the practice of nations and the practice is the law. Nations understand that the elemental qualities of human nature have not changed greatly and that prudence should restrain them from enterprising too far afield to enforce unacceptable, though ideal, principles.

The real situation with respect to Belgium was revealed accurately by Mr. Root in his annual address before the International Society of Law, sitting jointly with the International Law section of the Pan-American Scientific Congress in Washington, Dec. 28, 1915. There he was the statesman and able international lawyer; in his New York address of Feb. 15 last he was the politician.

Weakness as Binding Force.

"There is another weakness of international law as a binding force," said Lawyer Root in Washington, "which it appears to me can be avoided only by a radical change in the attitude of nations toward violations of the law. Up to this time breaches of international law have been treated as we treat wrongs under civil procedure, as if they concerned nobody except the particular nations upon whom the injury was inflicted and the nation inflicting it.

"There has been no general recognition of the right of other nations to object. In general, states not directly affected by the particular injury complained of have not been deemed to have any right to be heard about it. It is only as disinterested mediators in the quarrels of others or as rendering good offices to others that they have been accustomed to speak, if at all. Until the first Hague conference that form of interference was upon sufferance.

"If the law of nations is to be binding there must be a change in theory. And violations of the law of such character as to threaten the peace and order of the community of nations must be treated by analogy to the criminal law. They must be deemed to be a violation of the right of every civilized nation to have the law maintained and a legal injury to every nation."

Tendering Good Offices.

When Mr. Root declared that up to the time of the first Hague conference in 1899 it was only as disinterested mediators that states have been accustomed to speak, if at all, he referred to Article 3 of the convention for the pacific settlement of international disputes, the last paragraph of which says:

"The exercise of this right (tendering good offices) can never be regarded by one or the other of the parties in conflict as an unfriendly act."

So unusual was the intrusion of a third state into controversies not directly affecting it, and so questionable was the right of a third state to take cognizance of this class of violations of the law that a positive declaration was considered necessary to authorize the mere tender of good offices.

Uncle Sam as Knight Errant.

Uncle Sam might present an admirable picture as a true knight-errant with sword unsheathed, ready to vindicate the law among the European belligerents. But if such a role is to be undertaken it is a prerequisite necessity that we be amply prepared to meet and overcome all possible adversaries.

International law, as Mr. Root truly says, can have binding force only by a change in the attitude of nations toward violations calculated to disturb the peace of all. The United States has done much, however, in its controversies toward emphasizing the universality of the obligations of humanity. It has availed itself of opportunities to square the law with morality.

It might have been a fine thing for the United States to have recorded its disapproval of the wrong done Belgium, but it would have gone beyond any previous conception of the right of states as to violations of the law not affecting them directly.

SURVEYOR NEEDED TO FIND OUT WHERE SALOON MAN PAYS FEE

Building Is on County Line and Officers Fear Owner Has Been Evading Payment.

A customer in D. F. Hoefer's saloon, 8502 Alabama avenue, can stand in the City of St. Louis and order a "schooner of suds," and can blow the foam off into St. Louis County, all without leaving the barroom. So say county officers, who fear that Hoefer, because of his nicely balanced position on the boundary line, has neglected to pay a retail liquor license fee either in the city or in the county.

Constable Bobring of Carondelet Township yesterday told Prosecuting Attorney Ralph at Clayton that Hoefer had told county officers that he had a city license. He has also told city policemen, according to Bobring, that he has a county license. Ralph decided to find out whether this was due to a confusion of ideas on Hoefer's part, or to some other cause. The law fixes a fine of $40 to $200 for selling liquor without a license.

Ralph asked County Engineer Elbring to detail a surveyor, who will squint through his instruments at Hoefer's place. After he gets the surveyor's report, Ralph will decide whether to communicate with the saloon keeper by means of a court process or to "pass the buck" to the St. Louis police and prosecuting authorities.

Fletcher Surrenders Chilean Post.

SANTIAGO, Chile, March 4.—Henry P. Fletcher, retiring American Ambassador to Chile, who has been appointed American Ambassador to Mexico, will sail from Valparaiso on March 8, on the steamer Huasco. He took leave today of the Chilean Government, turning over the embassy to Secretary George T. Cummerlin as charge d'affaires. An official banquet was tendered the retiring Ambassador by President San Fetues.

If Too Fat Get More Fresh Air

BE MODERATE IN YOUR DIET AND REDUCE YOUR WEIGHT. TAKE OIL OF KOREIN.

Lack of fresh air, it is said, weakens the oxygen-carrying power of the blood, the liver becomes sluggish, fat accumulates and the action of many of the vital organs are hindered thereby. The heart action becomes weak, work is an effort and the beauty of the figure is destroyed.

Fat put on by indoor life is unhealthy, and if nature is not assisted in throwing it off, a serious case of obesity may result.

When you feel that you are getting too stout, take the matter in hand at once. Don't wait until your figure has become a joke and your health ruined through carrying around a burden of unsightly and unhealthy fat.

Spend as much time as you possibly can in the open air, breathe deeply, and get from any druggist a box of oil of korein capsules; take one after each meal and one before retiring at night.

Weigh yourself every few days and keep up the treatment until you are down to normal. Oil of korein is absolutely harmless, is pleasant to take, helps the digestion, and even a few days' treatment has been reported to show a noticeable reduction in weight.—ADV.

VILLA'S YAQUI CHIEF SAID TO HAVE BEEN SHOT

Urbelajo, Who Became Valuable General, Surrendered With 1000 Men Month Ago.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

TUCSON, Ariz., March 4.—Gen. Urbelajo, the Yaqui chieftain who became one of Villa's best Generals, has been executed by the Carranza soldiers, according to information from the Yaqui Valley, which is believed to be authentic.

A month ago, Urbelajo surrendered with the more than 100 Yaqui warriors in his army, and all were given safe conduct back to the Yaqui Valley. His braves were repatriated, and melted into the Bacatete Mountains.

Last week, at night, Urbelajo and four other leaders of the tribe were arrested by orders from the Carranza commander and the next day ordered deported to the Tres Marias. They sailed under guard of a firing squad, according to the informant who is in a position to know and who has hitherto been reliable, and the squad returned without the Generals. It was given out that all were killed.

The Tres Marias are three islands lying off the territory of Tepic, sometimes used as a penal colony, but notorious for the executions carried out on the way there. To be ordered to the Tres Marias is understood as a death sentence. Five hundred Yaquis, among them the worst of the Bronchos, were sent there eight years ago by the Diaz regime. None was ever heard of afterward, and it was understood at the time that all were drowned. It was said they were in a barge towed by the gunboat, which cut the hawser and sank the barge with gunfire, out of sight of land.

Urbelajo was a picturesque figure, who entered the wars wearing sandals and a blanket, but he arrived at the time near the fall of Villa, when he rode in an automobile, and more in a review of soldiers a Panama hat, a natty suit of blue serge with a white stripe, tan shoes and silk socks.

As a Villa commander, he showed much military ability and with his tireless followers, who could live on a handful of beans a day, he saw much of the hardest fighting of the campaign. His men were notorious looters and feared by Mexicans and Americans alike.

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BISHOP'S DAUGHTER IS MARRIED

Bride Is Sister of Woman Rumored Enbaged to Capt. Boy-Ed.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The marriage of Miss Gladys Mackay-Smith, daughter of Mrs. Alexander Mackay-Smith of Washington, to William Bell Watkins of West Town, Pa., took place at 4:30 o'clock today.

The bride is the daughter of the late Rt. Rev. Alexander Mackay-Smith, Bishop of Pennsylvania, and a sister of Miss Virginia Mackay-Smith, whose engagement to Capt. Boy-Ed of the German embassy was rumored persistently before his recall.

Winners Announced in Bird House Contest.

One hundred and nineteen boys have been engaged for the past month in building houses for Jenny Wren, Mrs. Blue Bird and apartment houses for the Martin family. These were the houses built in the Famous & Barr Co.'s second bird house contest, which was held under the direction of the St. Louis Bird Club.

The bird houses are on exhibition on the second floor of the Famous & Barr Co., the winning houses bearing the ribbons designating the winners. The judges were J. A. Drushel, Harris Teachers' College, E. H. Christie, principal of the Hodgen School, and H. G. Murch, Gravois Training School.

Eugene Windson of 6181 Etsel avenue was awarded first prize for wren house. The points were given on construction, simplicity, attractiveness and neatness. He received 96 points. The second prize was won by John Jacobsmeyer of 1478 Rowan place; the third prize was won by John McMillan, 12 Beverly place; and the fourth prize was won by Ludwig Szombathy, 3947 Cottage avenue. Honorable mention in the wren class: Richard Kresler, 719 Geyer avenue; Eugene Gamache, 2843 Gravois avenue; Edward Bewen, 7438 Gravois, and Andrew Gochenour, 5072 Kensington avenue. The martin house which won the first prize was a 10-apartment house, made by Edwin Fitzgerald, 1418 Hamilton avenue. Ralph Gamache, 2130 Gravois, was awarded second prize for apartment building. Hermann Kirkman, 4118A Labadie, won third prize, and R. Lane, 4748 St. Louis avenue, fourth prize.

Honorable mention: Milton Luedde, 915 Geyer avenue; Thomas Martin, 3910 Lincoln avenue; Simon Lebner, 1433 North Thirteenth street, and George Hosenfelt, 3373 South Broadway.

The houses for the blue birds were especially attractive, but fewer in number. The first prize for the blue bird was a stump of swamp cypress, which was made by John McMillan, 12 Beverly place, who also won third prize in the wren contest. Second prize, blue bird, was won by Roscoe Durand, 4476 Beck street; third prize, Girard Gamache, 2843 Gravois avenue.

Honorable mention: F. H. Hodgson, 5897 Washington avenue; Nick Constantino, 1040 Washington, and Carol Street, 1235 Granville place.

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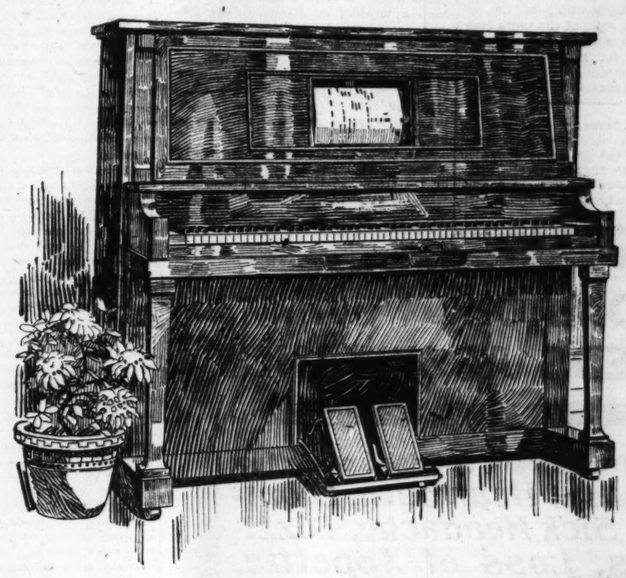
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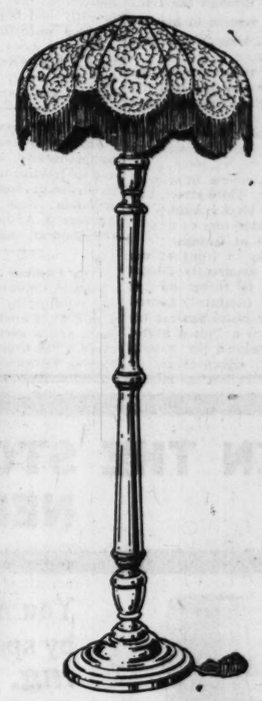
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POLICE SERGEANT WHO KILLED MAN GETS MANY GIFTS

Joseph Gerk Expected to Recover Rapidly From Wound Inflicted by G. A. Benton.

Police Sergt. Joseph Gerk, head of the traffic squad, who yesterday morning shot and killed George A. Benton, 35 years old, of 4968A Delmar boulevard, at Eighth street and Clark avenue, after Benton had shot him through the right thigh, probably must remain in his bed at the city hospital a week, physicians there said last night.

The physicians said they expected the wound to heal rapidly and that if it did not become infected the Sergeant would speedily recover.

The Sergeant yesterday received flowers and boxes of cigars from many friends.

James Quinn, an employe in a wall paper store at 10 North Third street, had followed Benton 12 blocks before he called Sergt. Gerk's attention to him.

Pointed Pistol at Quinn.

Quinn was standing in front of the store when Benton, apparently intoxicated, ordered him to throw up his hands. When Quinn hesitated, Benton pressed an automatic pistol against his chest and said: "I am a United States his hands. This seemed to satisfy secret service man." Quinn threw up his hands. This seemed to satisfy Benton, who walked away.

Over a devious route Quinn followed Benton to Eighth street and Clark avenue, and there met Sergt. Gerk, who was on his way to work.

As Gerk advanced on Benton, ordering him to stop, Benton drew his automatic pistol. Gerk continued to advance and Benton leveled the weapon at him. Gerk knocked Benton's hand down just as he pulled the trigger.

Shots Kill Benton Instantly.

After a bullet from Benton's automatic had passed through his thigh, Sergt. Gerk, who had his revolver out ready for use, fired two shots and instantly killed Benton, shooting him in the right side and the abdomen.

Gerk and Benton's body were taken to the City Dispensary in the same ambulance.

Benton's identity was made practically certain by letters and cards in his pockets. Later he was positively identified by a Bell Telephone Co. official who said Benton formerly was janitor at the Forest Exchange, and recently had been made a private unlicensed watchman for the company.

Benton's body was taken in charge by his half-sister, Miss Clara Darling, and his sister, Mrs. Emma Dickson, both of 3238 Barrett street.

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15 Chinese Arrested in Raid.

Fifteen Chinese were arrested yesterday morning by the gambling squad in a raid at 14 South Eighth street. Fifty cents and a deck of cards were confiscated. The Chinese were charged with playing fan-tan.

BARREL INTERESTS TO MERGE AND FIGHT METAL CONTAINERS

Amalgamation of Coopers and Tight Stave Men to Be Effected at St. Louis Meeting This Week.

At a convention composed of representatives of concerns and individuals from all parts of the United States interested in the manufacture, sale and use of tight cooperage packages, to be held at the Planters Hotel Tuesday and Wednesday, will be effected a merger of two trade organizations now distinct from each other. The common purpose is to defend the barrel from further encroachments by substitute packages and retrieving, by a vigorous campaign of publicity, certain lines of commodities which have in the past few years been experimenting with metal containers which have in a measure proven unsatisfactory.

The two organizations are the National Coopers' Association, which holds its annual meetings in St. Louis, and the National Tight Stave Manufacturers' Association, of which Memphis, Tenn., is the official home. Both have a numerous membership extending from coast to coast.

The Stave Association, at its annual meeting in Memphis, in January, cast the final vote for amalgamation, the proposed merger having been a subject of discussion at former conventions.

The new organization will be known as the Allied Cooperage Interests, and the ultimate intention is to have within its membership every craft or line of endeavor interested in any way in the manufacture of barrels.

The Coopers' Association maintains a bureau at Washington to look after its traffic and legal matters; this will be strengthened under the new organization.

O'NEILL RYAN ASKS THAT U. S. DEMAND A FREED IRELAND

Would Have England Make Good Its Word and Grant Absolute Independence.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 4.—More than 2000 men and women delegates to the Irish Race Convention, which opened in the Hotel Astor today, applauded wildly when Chairman O'Neill Ryan of St. Louis said:

"We want not war. We say that weighted down as we must be by the great responsibility that attains to the public utterance of 2000 men and women who represent hundreds of thousands of citizens of the United States.

"With the fullest understanding of the meaning of the words 'the honor and the integrity of the United States,' we feel and say that we ought not now, in a less serious situation than in May, 1915, throw down the gage of battle and engage in war against the central Powers in Europe.

"When the die is cast, however—if it should be cast—we will all of us stand as we always have stood behind the flag of our country—the United States of America."

Demand Independent Ireland.

Ryan said that it was the purpose of all present and represented to further a plan to have Ireland represented in the congress of nations which will follow the war. He said that the United States should say to England at such time:

"Make good your word. We demand that Ireland be made absolutely independent among the nations of the world."

"The Irish people," he said in conclusion, "not only do not stand behind the British Government in this war, but they stand for Ireland and for Ireland alone. God guide your councils and make Ireland a nation."

A speech by Supreme Court Justice John W. Goff, who acted as temporary chairman of the convention, was the feature of the morning session. Justice Goff did not begin talking until noon, so much time having been occupied in examining the credentials with a view of keeping out persons of Irish blood who are hostile to the convention.

Those with proper credentials were forced to pass three separate cordons of officials.

Would See England Defeated.

Justice Goff aroused the most enthusiasm of the day when he said near the close of his speech:

"In the outcome of the great struggle now raging, and as between the combatants now engaged, we have one supreme interest, and one only, and that is to see England, the tyrant and oppressor of Ireland and her people, the evil genius of France and of every other nation blighted by her alliance, defeated."

This statement was welcomed with cheers. Cries of "Down with England" interrupted the speech. A pretty young woman in a seat near the front leaped to her feet and shrilled: "Down with them!"

Justice Goff scoffed at the idea that Ireland had suddenly become loyal to England. He said "the heart of Ireland still rings true," and that England had maintained a huge garrison in Ireland when troops are badly needed at the front.

"Therefore," he said, "we in America, who have furnished moral and material aid, have a right to know and express the truth, and in doing so to further express our knowledge of the falsity of the statement made in the British House of Commons that 95 per cent of the Irish in America were in favor of England in the present conflict."

New Organization Formed.

A new national organization to be known as "The Friends of Irish Freedom," was formed tonight by Irishmen in attendance at the conference.

The organization will be governed by a national committee of 60, members with an executive committee of 12. National conventions will be held twice a year or oftener, it was announced. Any person of Irish extraction "who sympathizes with the country in her aspirations for independence" is eligible to membership.

The purpose of the organization as announced by Capt. John T. Ryan, chairman of the committee which worked out the details, will be "to encourage and assist any movement for the national freedom of Ireland and to aid in the industrial improvement of the country as well as in the revival of the language, literature, music and customs of the Gaels."

WOMEN FAIL IN POLICE TESTS

SPOKANE, Wash., March 4.—The 1916 city budget provides for a woman member of the Spokane Police Department, but thus far efforts have failed to find a woman candidate capable of meeting the civil service requirements. Fourteen applicants have been disqualified because of flat feet, defective eyesight, overweight, underweight or deformity of the legs.

Mayor Fleming announced today that he was considering appointing a woman as an associate clerk in the Police Department without imposing civil service tests.

Real Estate Worth Millions of Dollars,

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R. E. ADREON HEADS SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Banquet on April 19 Is Decided Upon to Commemorate Battles of Lexington and Concord.

Robert E. Adreon was elected president of the Missouri State Society of the Sons of the American Revolution at the annual meeting in the Mercantile Club yesterday afternoon. In the absence of President C. P. Walbridge, John L. RoBards of Hannibal presided.

The other officers elected were: C. P. Walbridge, John L. RoBards, Peyton H. Skipwith and Edward T. Miller, vice presidents; James E. Withrow, George H. Shields, W. B. Homer and D. S. Harriman, honorary vice presidents; F. G. Williamson, secretary; I. Shreve Carter, treasurer; Linn Paine, registrar; the Rev. W. W. Boyd, chaplain; Ashley Cabell, Amadee B. Cole, C. W. Hughes, Cabell Gray, W. H. Mayfield, Charles Mekeel, Edward T. Miller and W. S. Dodd, board of managers.

The society voted to give a banquet at the Buckingham Hotel April 19, commemorating the battles of Lexington and Concord. Speakers of national reputation will be invited. Plans to extend the society's membership in the State and to send delegates to the national convention were made. John L. RoBards was named trustee of the National Society and Amadee B. Cole, Edward T. Miller and Linn Paine were selected delegates to the convention, with John A. Peck and James L. Secor as alternates.

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ARMORIES NEED ATHLETIC FIELDS, VISITOR SAYS

Games Would Make National Guard More Popular, Recreation Director Declares.

William J. Lee, Supervisor of Recreation and Director of Athletics of New York City, who was in St. Louis as member of the New York delegation to the National Defense Conference of Mayors, was busy while here spreading his propaganda for making athletics a feature of the work of military organizations throughout the country.

Lee told a reporter for the Post-Dispatch he believes it is a grave mistake to build armories for national or state guards in localities where it is impossible to provide a large open field for athletics and drill.

"Boston has the best armory in the country," said Lee. "They have the best trained men in their regiments I have seen. They have an athletic field in connection with the armory."

Accompanied by Park Commissioner Cunliff and Rodowe Abeken, athletic director of the local Park Department, Lee visited the St. Louis parks and recreation grounds yesterday. He suggested that an armory built facing Forest Park, with a few acres set aside for the use of the members of the regiment, would cause many men to join the organization who would scoff at the idea of joining the present militia.

He praised the St. Louis parks and the playgrounds and said the city seemed handicapped chiefly by the lack of equipment.

Lee will return to St. Louis at the end of the present month to attend the organization meeting of the proposed athletic league of municipalities, at which 50 American cities will be represented. The meeting will be held on March 24, 25 and 26.

ENGINEER FATALLY SCALDED

Richard Harmon Burned When Hot Water Tank in Laundry Explodes.

Richard Harmon, 47 years old, an engineer, of 4479 Morgan street, died at 12:50 p. m. yesterday at the city hospital, where he was taken Friday after being burned in an explosion at the Imperial Laundry, 4701 Delmar boulevard.

Harmon was in the boiler room when a hot water tank exploded. He was burned about the chest, forearms and face. His wife and several children survive. The funeral will be from the residence, Tuesday afternoon.



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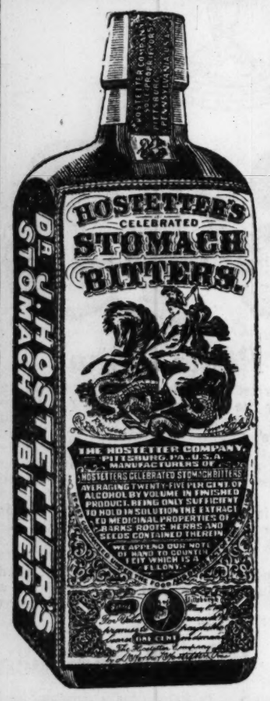
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PART FOUR. ST. LOUIS, SUNDAY MORNING, MARCH 5, 1916. 1B

CARDINALS LOSE IN FIRST BATTLE OF SEASON, 6--0

What's More, Huggins' Charges Are Held to Two Hits in Last Six Innings by Pair of Amateur Pitchers.

SOUTHPAW BOB STEELE IS HANDED WALLOPING

Lefthander, Who Hails From St. Paul, Allows Four Runs—Hi Jasper, St. Louis Boy, Fools Texas Leaguers.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 4.—If, when the spring series rolls around, Dave Davenport makes the Cardinals behave as his younger brother, Big Ben, made them walk the chalkline today, you can bet your bottom dollar the Cards will not so much as get a run. The Bronchos won the game 6—0.

Ben Davenport started on the hill for the Bronchos today in the first game of the season. During the three innings he performed, Huggins' motley array of pitchers, catcher and infielders got nary a run only two safe blows.

Ben went to the bench after the third inning to give an amateur recruit by the name of Stair a chance to get himself a reputation at the Card's expense. Stair, from a Cardinal viewpoint, was even worse than Davenport. In four innings Huggins' bunch got one hit off the left-hander. Then along came another amateur, Fried by name. Fried let the hapless Cards off with one hit in two innings. That gave them a grand total of four hits and no runs in nine innings.

Four Hits for Cards.

The game started out well enough. Hi Jasper worked the first three innings and allowed but two hits and no runs. Bob Steele came next. Along with Bob came a bunch of hits and runs. When the Canadian gave way to Lee Meadows, starting the seventh, the count was 4—0 against the Cards. Meadows allowed four more hits and half as many runs.

On their form today the Cards looked like bushers, while the Bronchos performed like real topnotchers. Huggins and Co. will take another shot at the locals tomorrow afternoon. Hug announces he will use Lamline, Griner and Warhop on the hill.

There will be no workout tomorrow morning. The double sessions will start again Monday, however. The score:

CARDINALS.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Huggins 2b	4	0	0	4	2	1
Beck 3b	4	0	1	1	3	1
Hall rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Snyder 1b.	4	0	1	7	0	0
Griner cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Warhop ss.	4	0	0	1	0	1
Doak lf.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Brottem c.	3	0	1	6	0	0
Jasper p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Steele p.	1	0	0	0	1	0
Meadows p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	0	4	24	12	3

SAN ANTONIO.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Simmang rf.	4	1	0	0	0	0
Wotell lf.	5	2	3	3	0	0
Dunckel 1b.	4	0	1	6	0	0
March 1b.	1	0	0	5	0	1
Westerzil 3b.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Hartzell ss.	3	0	1	2	3	0
Leidy cf.	4	1	1	2	0	0
Hell 2b.	3	0	0	4	2	0
Cook c.	1	0	1	7	1	0
Davenport p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Stair p.	2	0	0	0	0	1
Fried p.	1	0	1	0	0	0
*Love	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	6	11	27	14	2

*Batted for Davenport in third.

Innings—	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
San Antonio	0	0	0	1	3	0	1	1	0—6

Summary: Stolen bases—Westerzil, Cook. Sacrifices—Hell, Cook. Two-base hit—Wotell. Three-base hit—Wetell. Pitching records—Off Davenport, 2 hits no runs in 3 innings; off Stair, 1 hit no runs in 4 innings; off Fried, 1 hit no runs in 2 innings; off Jasper, 2 hits no runs in 3 innings; off Steele, 5 hits 4 runs in 3 innings; off Meadows, 4 hits 2 runs in 3 innings. Bases on balls—off Davenport, 1; off Jasper, 1; off Steele, 3; off Meadows, 2. Struck out—By Davenport, 3; by Stair, 2; by Fried, 1; by Jasper, 4; by Steele, 3; by Meadows, 2. Wild pitch—Meadows. Time of game—1h. 50m. Umpire—McCafferty.

Huggins Greatly Encouraged.

Now that the advance guard of Cardinals has finised the first week of training the question which naturally arises is: Just what has been accomplished, what has been demonstrated, in the first six days in camp?

Briefly, we list a few points as follows:

1. Zinn Beck's right knee, which last year suffered an injury that kept the third baseman out of the game during the greater part of the season, is now as good as ever.

2. Huggins has discovered traces of unusual ability in Tony Brottem, young catcher from the Vancouver club.

3. The 11 pitchers are in uniformly good condition, almost as well advanced as when they left camp for home last season. Not a single man complains of a sore arm.

4. The pitchers, through constant work bunting, have improved in laying the ball down. Doak in particular showing advancement.

5. A feeling of confidence that the club will fool those critics who have been predicting a seventh or eighth place berth for the Cardinals has been developed.

Weather Favors Cards.

During six days rain has not yet fallen. The weather has been uniformly good, the best experienced by the club in recent years.

Beck has given his knee a thorough testing during the past week. To say that he is pleased to find the injured member again in serviceable condition would be putting it mildly. The ability of Beck to return to his old position at third base takes a considerable load off Huggin's shoulders.

With Zinn stationed at the far corner, Bruno Betzel will be switched to second base to relieve the batting-team manager. Bruno, be it known,

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2200 BASKET FANS WATCH M'KINLEY'S FIVE CLINCH TITLE

South Side High School Team Defeats Yeatman in Deciding Game, 32-29.

FIRST HALF ENDED 14-13

Crippled Champions Forced to Extend Themselves Throughout to Win.

Basket Scores

LOCAL.

Kansas Aggies 24, Washington 18.
McKinley 32, Yeatman 29.
Cleveland 27, Central 23.
Western M. A. 30, Principia 26.
Webster High 44, Ferguson High 13.
C. B. C. Essmans 22, Baden 14.

ELSEWHERE.

Iowa 23, Ames 12.
Rochester 37, Pennsylvania 33.
Illinois 29, Purdue 19.
Wisconsin 32, Minnesota 14.
William Vashti 23, Milliken 15.

In what was probably the most exciting and hardest contested game played on a local court, this season, the McKinley High School five last night nosed out the Yeatman High quint, 32 to 29, and in so doing clinched the local Interscholastic Basket Ball League title. The game, which was the last on the season's schedule for both teams, had at stake the championship inasmuch as a victory for Yeatman would have resulted in a tie between the two teams for the leadership and would have necessitated a post-season contest.

To add to the zest of the season's finale, the Cleveland High tossers surprised some 2200 spectators by defeating the Central High five, 27 to 23, in as exciting, if not as well a contested fracas, as the first one of the twin bill. Incidentally this assemblage of over 2000 persons is said to be the record for basketball attendance in this city. That the number is a conservative estimate may be attested by the fact that the Cleveland auditorium seats approximately 2000 persons and only standing room was available to some 200 spectators.

McKinley's Close Call.

The McKinley-Yeatman contest was a nip and tuck affair from the very first whistle, the advantage being gained and lost by the contending quints not less than a dozen times during the course of play. At the close of the opening period the South Siders were leading, 14 to 13, the Yeatman five having closed a large gap of seven points in the last few moments of play by a fusillade on the crimson basket which netted three goals from the field.

At the resumption of play the McKinley lads took the initiative, but the score was soon evened and the advantage gained by the North Enders. At this stage of the contest Yeatman looked better than at any other time. A five-point lead was assumed and for a time Coach Callan's lads were totally outplayed. They soon found themselves, and with the second half closed, the score was even up, at 22 points.

A flash of splendid teamplay and consistent basket throwing gave McKinley what seemed to be a comfortable lead, 32 to 22. Winkelman and Drewes awakened to the situation, however, and tallied five points before time was up. When Referee Hardin sounded the closing whistle, it seemed that with a few more minutes of play, Yaetman would again gain the lead.

Palmer Missed by McKinley.

Giving McKinley full justice, however, the fact that Captain Palmer, a forward, was missing from the line-up and that Forward Menze got up from a sick bed to play in the game must have had some effect upon the South Siders' play. At that though, Forward Thompson played a clever floor game in the absence of the regular of that position.

Weauenburg and Drewes were the stars for their respective quints, each scoring 16 points. Ten of the McKinley center's markers came through the free throw routs, while he scored three goals from the field. Drewes counted six field goals and four baskets from the foul line, all of which would indicate that Yeatman's fouling lost for it the game and an opportunity at the championship.

In the second game Cleveland looked like a million dollars, while Central gave the comparative appearance of 30 cents in Mexican money. Lippert, of the winners, put up a clever game, tallying no less than six field goals. The Cleveland team play was the best exhibited by Coach Miskiff's charges this season.

The Central lads showed good enough teamwork, but were unable to land the ball in the basket, all of which is quite necessary. Countless shots were wasted when the forwards were unable to net the ball. McElwee looked for the midcity quintet.

McKinley (32)	Position	Yeatman (29)
Menze (8)-Voelke.	Left forward	Winkleman (7)
Thompson (6)	Right forward	Drewe (16)
Feuerborn (16)	Center	Shanley (2)
Loeffler (4)	Left guard	Von Lehsen (2)
Conzelman (4)	Right guard	Giessow (2)
	Right guard	Haussleden (0)

Cleveland (27)	Position	Central (23)
Cole (4)	Left forward	McElwee (12)
Simon (9)	Right forward	Nelson (2)
Lippert (14)	Center	Sweitzer (4)
	Center	O'Connor (2)
Krahe (0)	Right guard	Whiddecomb (2)
Schuls (0)	Left guard	Haase (0)

GARDNER TAKES LEAD IN BALKLINE TOURNEY

NEW YORK, March 4.—E. W. Gardner, New York, defeated Edgar T. Appleby, New York, in the afternoon match of the National Amateur Billiard championship tournament here today. The score was 400 to 271. Gardner, a former holder of the title, finished his string with an average of 10.

The victory placed Gardner in the lead for the championship. He was always safely ahead, making good use of the short rails for many runs in double figures. The score:

Gardner, 400; average, 10; high runs, 60, 49, 44. Appleby, 271; average, 6 31-40; high runs, 52, 33, 26.

Arcadians Tie Maxwells.

The C. B. C. Arcadians and the Rock Church Maxwell basket ball teams played a 7 to 7 tie yesterday afternoon. The game was very interesting from start to finish, both sides being evenly matched.

Willard 10-8 Favorite Over Moran; Al Reich Will Join Champion's Camp

Champion's Defense Is Not in Working Order and Husky Young Heavyweight Boxer Has Been Signed to Workout With Jess Beginning Next Saturday.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 4.—As the date for the Willard-Moran fight at Madison Square Garden approaches, betting is becoming more active.

Fred Schumm, the Wall Street commissioner, was offering $3000 at odds of 10 to 8 that Willard will get the consensus of newspaper opinion, which is accepted by the bettors as a decision.

In addition to this, Schumm was making the following offers:

$300 even that Moran will stay six rounds.

$1000 even that the fight will go the limit of 10 rounds.

$500 to $900 that there will be no knockout.

$100 even that if there is a knockout Willard will score it.

$500 to $3000, in whole or in part, that Moran will knock out the champion.

Willard put in the most strenuous training today that he has had since he began active preparation for his battle with Moran.

It wasn't so much WHAT Willard did as it was the WAY he did it that marked the difference. He did exactly the same things yesterday, and the same amount of those things as he did the day before, and the day before that; but he put much more energy, more snap and vigor into every one of his moves, and the result was a lively and satisfactory workout.

The champion will rest today, as he positively refuses to do any set training on the Sabbath. But the coming week will mark the beginning of what Jess calls the mid-game of his physical preparation for the contest. Beginning on Saturday Al Reich will be added to the coterie of Willard's sparring partners. With the advent of Reich, Willard will increase his boxing.

"I need plenty of work with the gloves," remarked the big fellow after his workout. "Of course, I haven't quite got my hitting eye up to the standard yet, but then this week has been devoted mainly to what you might call preliminary work. By Monday I'll be ready to get down to the real grind."

Willard was especially anxious to have Reich start boxing with him early this week, but Maxey Blumenthal, Al's manager, declared this to be impossible. Reich recently underwent a severe operation, and Blumenthal wants to be sure that his man is in condition before he allows him to start working.

Maxey's price for Reich's services as sparring partner was originally $1000, and Tom Jones agreed to the price, but they couldn't agree on the day when Al was to begin working.

Willard's Defense Missing.

Willard expects that his work with Reich will do much to help him perfect his guard, which is conspicuously absent at present.

In yesterday's workout none of his partners experienced great difficulty in reaching the champion's face, and when he did attempt to ward off a blow he invariably miscalculated and threw the guard too high to effectively stop the punch.

This inability to block accurately was the subject of a diversity of comment.

"We counting on just that weakness to encompass the downfall of the champion," confided an ardent Moran admirer, who makes no secret of the fact that he and his friends expect to clean up a goodly sum by wagering on the blonde's chance of victory.

"If Frank can land half a dozen or so those overwhelming right to the jaw it'll be good night, Jess and his title."

"This big guy don't need no guard," countered Danny Morgan. "His guard is his wallop. What do you think Jess'll be doing while Frank is tryin' to get over them overwhelmin' rights? Standin' there with his jaw out waitin' to take it? Not by a jugful. He'll be a stickin' in that old left jab that'll make Moran think a train-bumper is backing into his face, and, believe me, they'll make Moran so groggy that he'll forget all about trying to herd over a flock o' rights."

A punching platform was put in place on the stage at the Progress Club yesterday, but Jess didn't do any bag punching. "This will come later," said Jones, "along with the rope-skipping and other stunts that the big fellow will incorporate into his daily workouts."

In his enthusiasm during the first round of his setto with Bob Williams, the original masked marvel, yesterday, Jess lashed out with a left that dazed Bob and the latter is particularly interested in any of the subsequent proceedings, except the sound of Tom Jones' voice calling time.

The usual work with the pulleys, shadow boxing, setting up exercises, tugging with Strangler Lewis and boxing with Hemple, William and Monahan, comprised Willard's work in the afternoon.

He took his regulas daily jaunt through Central Park in the morning.

Dismond Winner in 440; Chicago Beats Ohio State in Dual Athletic Meet

CHICAGO, March 4.—The University of Chicago won the indoor track meet here tonight, defeating Ohio State, 58¼ to 30¼.

Summaries:

One-mile run—Ferguson, Ohio, won; Carroll, Ohio, second; Amsrer, Chicago, third. Time, 4m. 42 4-5s.

50-yard dash—Ager, Chicago, won; Pershing, Chicago, second; Pittenger, Ohio, third. Time, 5 3-5s.

50-yard high hurdles—Guerin, Chicago, won; Pershing, Chicago, second; Pittenger, Ohio, third. Time, 6 4-5s.

Quarter-mile dash—Dismond, Chicago, won; Cornwall, Chicago, second; Standish, Chicago, third. Time, 54 3-5s. (Ties Bartlett Gymnasium record.)

Two-mile run—Nevin, Ohio, won; Ferguson, Ohio, second; Mather, Chicago, third. Time, 10m. 16 4-5s.

Half-mile run—Clark, Chicago, won; Todd, Ohio, second; Merrill, Chicago, third. Time, 2m. 6 2-5s.

16-pound shot put—Poe, Ohio, won; Rankin, Ohio, second; Sparks, Chicago, third. Distance, 41 ft. 4½ in.

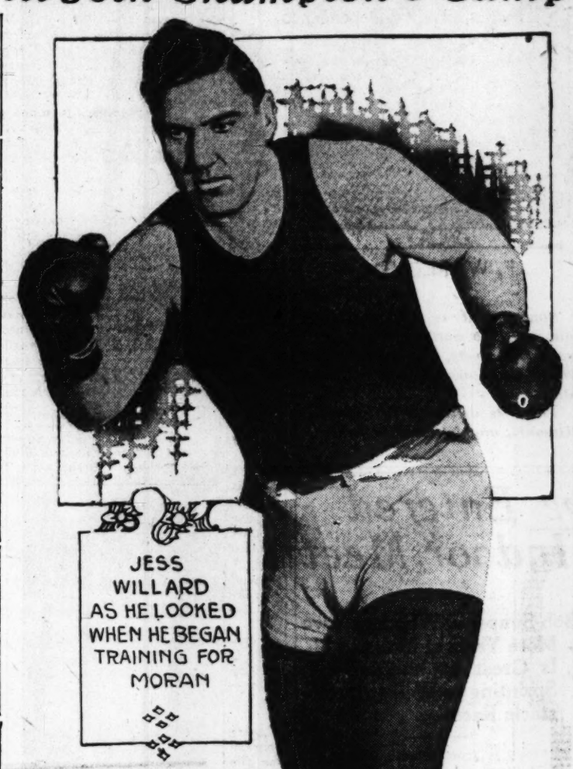
Running high jump—Whiting and Fisher, Chicago, tied for first; Pittenger, Ohio, third. Height, 5 ft. 9 in.

Pole vault—Fisher, Chicago, won; Wagner, Chicago, second; Bross, Ohio, and Moore, Chicago, tied for third. Height, 11 ft.

Mile relay—Chicago won. Time, 3m. 19 3-5s.

McGillivray Lands Title.

DETROIT, March 4.—Percy McGillivray of Illinois Athletic Club, Chicago, won the Central A. A. U. champion swimming meet at the Detroit Athletic Club tonight. Arthur W. Hartung, also representing the I. A. C., was the new fancy diving champion of the Central Association, defeating William Heyen of the Chicago Athletic Club. No records were broken.



JESS WILLARD AS HE LOOKED WHEN HE BEGAN TRAINING FOR MORAN

RICHARDS WINS TWO EVENTS IN COLLEGIATE MEET

Cornell Star Lands First in Both the Broad and High Jump —Second in Shotput.

NEW YORK, March 4.—At Madison Square Garden tonight the Intercollegiate association of Amateur Athletic associations held its second indoor track and field meet successfully and the program furnished excellent support.

The greatest surprise was the defeat of Cornell's team in the 4 4-5 mile relay race, which was cleanly won by the representative of the Massachusett's Institute of Technology, in the fast time of 23:13 4-5.

Alva W. Richards of Cornell, the national allround champion, won both the broad and high jumps and took second place in putting the shot.

Summary:

Relay race, teams of four men, each man to run 3-5 mile, total distance 2 2-5 miles—Won by Yale (Overton, Rolfe, Barker and Cooper); Cornell second; Michigan third. Time, 9m. 55 1-5s.

Relay race, teams of four men, each man to run 1-10 of a mile, total distance 1 1-5 miles—Won by Pennsylvania (Meredith, Souder, Lennon and Dorsey); Harvard second; Columbia third. Time, 4m. 22s.

Relay race, four-man teams, each man to run 1 1-5 miles, total distance 4 4-5 miles—Won by Massachusetts Institute of Technology (Herzog, McCarten, Halfacre and Brown); Cornell, second; Columbia third. Time, 23m. 13 4-5s.

Relay race, four-man teams, each man to run 1-5 mile; total distance 4-5 mile—Won by Princeton (Wallace, Eddy, Richardson and Moore); Cornell, second; Pennsylvania State, third. Time, 2m. 42 2-5s.

Putting 16-pound shot, team prize—Won by Cornell, average 40 ft. ¾ in.; second, Michigan, average 39 ft. ¾ in; third, Princeton, average 37 ft. ½ in.; fourth, Pennsylvania, average 36 ft. 7½ in.; fifth, Columbia, average, 34 ft. 10¼ in.

Individual winners—Cecil F. Cross, Michigan, 40 ft. 1 in.; A. W. Richards, Cornell, 43 ft. 5⅜ in., second; D. C. Sinclaire, Princeton, 40 ft. 4⅛ in., third.

Running high jump—Won by Cornell, average, 21.4 feet; second, Pennsylvania, average 20.7 feet; third, Columbia, average 17.6 feet.

Individual winners—First, A. H. Richards, Cornell, 22 ft. 3 in.; second, A. L. Culbertson, Cornell, 22 feet; third, H. D. Bertolet Jr., Pennsylvania, 21 ft. 10 in.

Team race, 24 laps, 2 2-5 miles—Won by Cornell, 11 points, second, Pennsylvania, 23 points; third, Columbia, 42 points. Time, 12m. 3 3-5s.

Running high jump—Won by Yale, average 5 ft. 9.4 in.; second, Pennsylvania, average 5 ft. 9.2 in.; third, Cornell, average 5 ft. 7.8 in.

Individual winners—First, Richards, Cornell, 6 ft. 3 in.; second, Oler, Yale, 6 ft. 2 in.; third, Crane and Thiebault, Pennsylvania, tied at 5 ft. 11 in.

Medley relay race, 4, 2, 6 and 8 laps, total distance 2 miles—Won by Pennsylvania (Scudder, Lennon, Berry, Pope); Harvard, second; Cornell, third. Time, 8m. 45 4-5s.

Pole vault—Won by Yale; average 11 ft. 11.60 in.; second, Cornell, average 10 ft. 11.25 in.; third, Pennsylvania, average 10 ft. 7¼ in.

Individual—Foss, Cornell; Buck, Yale; Nowstater, Pennsylvania, and Sewell, Pennsylvania, failed at 12 ft. 6 in., and were tied at 12 ft.

Webster Defeats Ferguson, 44--13, for Quintets' 14th Straight Victory of Year

The Webster High School basket-ball team last night gained its fourteenth straight victory of the season when Ferguson High was beaten on the Webster court, 44 to 13. Lison, at center, was the star for the victors, counting 12 points. With a big lead, several of the Webster substitutes were run in. For the losers, F. Sesteres made the best showing. The lineup:

Webster (44).	Position.	Ferguson (13)
Hoestler (8)-		
Holtman	Left forward	Stillents
Lacey (8)-		
Stiller (4)	Right forward	R. Sesteres (2)
Lison (12)	Center	Stacey
Starr (8)	Left guard	Graham (4)
Russell (8)	Right guard	F. Sesteres (7)

Referee—McKnight.

Zabel to Join Mates.

BALDWIN, Kan., March 4.—George Zabel, pitcher for the Chicago Cubs, who has been a student in Baker University, left here today for Chicago to join his team. He will continue to Tampa, Fla., where the Cubs will train. Zabel graduates from Baker this year. Before he left the students presented him with a gold watch fob.

REX FIVE TAKES FIRST MONEY IN TENPIN TOURNEY

Team Takes Honors in South Side Handicap by One Pin With 2845 Total.

NEW ALL-EVENTS LEADER

Krewinghaus, Who Counted Better Than 600 in Two-Man and Singles, in Front.

The Rex team, with a total of 2845 took first money in the five men event in the South Side Handicap tournament, which comes to a close on the Weder- Hughes alleys today. The Rex quint gets $35 and five goold medals. The Schweiglers, one pin behind, landed second honors. Thirty-five teams got into the prize list.

In last night's rolling several changes came in the standing of the two-men teams and individuals. The combination of J. Brennan and L. B. Adams took second place in the doubles. In the individuals, A. Kessler, aided by a handicap of 78 pins, counted 671, which put him second.

Louis Krewinghaus, who did better than 600 in both singles and doubles last night, went into the lead in the all-events with 1743. Scores:

NAMES.	1.	2.	3.	T'tl.
H. Klare	146	108	177	491
L. Zelp	193	147	204	544
Scratch total	339	315	381	1035
Handicap	30	30	30	90
Grand Total	369	345	411	1125
D. J. Sweeney	190	169	163	522
A. Joquel	182	208	176	566
Scratch total	372	377	339	1088
Handicap	10	10	10	30
Grand Total	382	387	349	1118
J. Kenney	195	192	165	552
J. Korte	168	110	130	408
Scratch total	363	302	295	960
Handicap	49	49	49	147
Grand Total	412	351	344	1107
H. Voelker	170	172	159	501
G. Kargus	179	140	172	491
Scratch total	349	312	331	992
Handicap	32	32	32	96
Grand total	381	344	363	1088
A. Kessler	184	146	157	487
G. B. Korte	163	154	144	461
Scratch total	347	300	301	948
Handicap	43	43	43	129
Grand total	390	343	344	1077
H. Barker	133	159	173	465
J. Anderson	156	184	165	505
Scratch total	289	343	338	970
Handicap	95	35	35	105
Grand total	324	378	373	1075
C. Meyer	155	113	129	397
K. Heerich	199	146	159	504
Scratch total	354	259	288	901
Handicap	55	55	55	165
Grand total	409	314	343	1066
W. Lyle	159	178	158	495
O. Schell	146	136	192	474
Scratch total	305	314	350	969
Handicap	26	26	26	78
Grand total	331	340	376	1047
F. Ternetz	135	129	168	432
A. Franke	137	161	142	440
Scratch total	272	290	310	872
Handicap	56	56	56	168
Grand total	328	346	366	1040
F. Sherman	172	167	159	498
W. Sherman	145	158	117	418
Scratch total	317	323	276	916
Handicap	40	40	40	120
Grand total	357	363	316	1036
H. Backer	163	149	103	415
J. Backer	178	171	134	483
Scratch total	341	320	237	898
Handicap	41	41	41	123
Grand total	382	361	278	1021
H. Linnewerth	145	156	166	467
B. Linnewerth	145	158	161	464
Scratch total	290	314	327	931
Handicap	26	26	26	78
Grand total	316	340	353	1009

Individuals.

NAMES.	1.	2.	3.	T'tl.
A. Kessler	180	210	203	593
Scratch total	180	210	203	593
Handicap	26	26	26	78
Grand total	206	236	229	671
Curran	200	172	216	588
Scratch total	200	172	216	588
Handicap	8	8	8	24
Grand total	208	180	224	612
J. Brennan	170	203	169	551
Scratch total	179	203	169	551
Handicap	20	20	20	60
Grand total	199	223	189	611
G. Kargus	169	193	171	533
Scratch total	169	193	171	533
Handicap	22	22	22	66
Grand total	191	215	193	599
G. B. Korte	167	203	168	538
Scratch total	167	203	168	538
Handicap	20	20	20	60
Grand total	187	223	188	598
L. Krewinghaus	215	155	211	581
Scratch total	215	155	211	581
Handicap	5	5	5	15
Grand total	220	160	216	596
A. C. Westemeyer	203	177	173	553
Scratch total	203	177	173	553
Handicap	12	12	12	36
Grand total	215	189	185	589
L. B. Adams	179	190	166	535
Scratch total	179	188	166	533
Handicap	17	17	17	51
Grand total	196	205	183	584
O. Schell	207	189	174	570
Scratch total	207	183	174	564
Handicap	14	14	14	42
Grand total	221	173	188	582
J. Kenney	171	168	169	508
Scratch total	171	168	169	508
Handicap	23	23	23	69
Grand total	194	191	192	577
L. Zelp	185	176	153	514
Scratch total	185	176	153	514
Handicap	18	18	18	54
Grand total	203	194	168	568
Lynch	197	164	192	513
Scratch total	197	164	192	513
Handicap	14	14	14	42
Grand total	211	178	206	555
H. Barker	197	147	191	495
Scratch total	197	147	191	495
Handicap	20	20	20	60
Grand total	217	167	211	555
W. Lyle	198	138	165	501
Scratch total	198	138	165	501
Handicap	14	14	14	42
Grand total	212	152	179	543

WISCONSIN ATHLETES SET FOR NEW RECORDS

MADISON, Wis., March 4.—University of Wisconsin track stars broke four local records here tonight which Wisconsin won 61½ to 34½.

Arlie Mucks frobe his own record when he heaved the shot 49 feet 4¼ inches.

Summaries:

40-yard dash—Smith, Wisconsin, and Hardy, Notre Dame, tied for first; Casey, Wisconsin, third. Time, 4 4-5s.

Mile run—Schardt, Wisconsin, first; Waage, Notre Dame, second; A. Merrill, Wisconsin, third. Time, 4m. 35s.

40-yard high hurdles—Hamtzen, Wisconsin, first; Albright, Wisconsin, second; Kirkland, Notre Dame, third. Time, 5m. 3s.

Shot put—Hucks, Wisconsin, first; Bathman, Notre Dame, second; Becker, Wisconsin, third. Distance, 49 ft. 4¼ in. New world's indoor record.

440-yard run—Williams, Wisconsin, first; Hardy, Notre Dame, second; Volkers, Notre Dame, third. Time, 54 3-5s.

Half-mile—Harvey, Wisconsin, first; McDonough, Notre Dame, second; Forsberg, Wisconsin, third. Time, 2m. 6s.

High jump—Huston, Wisconsin, and Van Auken, Notre Dame, tied for first; Kirkland, Notre Dame, and Nelson, Wisconsin, tied for third. Height, 5 feet 9 inches.

Pole vault—Huston, Wisconsin, and Mogren, tied for first; Yaager, Notre Dame, third. Height, 10 feet 6 inches.

One-mile relay—Won by Wisconsin. Time, 3m 39 1-5s.

Heddon Wins Amateur Cue Match.

NEW YORK, March 4.—Clarence Chaires Heddon of Michigan won from Jacob Clinger of Austria here tonight in the Amateur Billiard Championship Tournament, 400 to 294. Clinger's defeat puts him out of the races for the championship. Heddon led throughout the match by close rail playing. The score:

Heddon, 400; average, 5 5-49; high runs, 64, 30, 30.

Clinger, 291; average, 5 44-49; high runs, 42, 34, 30.

St. Louis Boxers Lose 3 Matches in K. C. Tourney

Not a Single M. A. A. Boxer Able to Win Against Denver and Kay See Biffers.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 4.—Three Denver and two Kansas City boys came clean in the final bouts of the Tri-City Amateur Boxing Tournament held here tonight. It might be added that St. Louis also had a team in the tourney.

Charles Snyder, 115-pounder, John Fritz, 125-pounder, and Rex Morris, 158-pounder, were the Denver boys who sailed through the finals tonight, while Tommy Murphy and Roy Helton carried the Kansas City Athletic Club to victory.

A gallery of enthusiastic fight bugs filled the Kansas City A. C. gymnasium and left praising the work of the amateurs. There wasn't a bad bout on the program.

Three things stand out clearly as a result of the finals tonight. Denver sent a mighty classy defensive team to the tournament; Roy Helton packs the "kick" of a Missouri mule in either paw, and Tommy Murphy had the goods to stop the rush of the two toughest customers in the tournament.

Summary:

115-pound class—Charles Snyder, Denver Athletic Club, defeated Frankie Gudicl; decision in three rounds.

125-pound class—John Fritz, Denver A. C., defeated Leonard Hartman, Missouri Athletic Association, St. Louis. Decision in four rounds, the boys traveling an extra round.

135-pound class—Tommy Murphy, Kansas City A. C., defeated Al Silver, Missouri A. A., St. Louis. Decision in four rounds.

145-pound class—Roy Helton, Kansas City A. C., defeated Willie Ramarr, Denver A. C., knockout in the first round. Time, 2m. 45s.

158-pound class—Rex Morris, Denver A. C., defeated Richard Moore, Missouri Athletic Association, St. Louis. Moore quit in the third round, alleging that he was fouled.

BROWN REGULARS, WITH 7 SOUTHPAW HITTERS, WIN 10-6

Team That Jones May Use This Year Against Right-Hand Twirlers Bombards Recruit Pitchers for 14 Safeties.

By W. J. O'Connor.
Post-Dispatch Staff Correspondent.

PALESTINE, Tex., March 4.—What might be considered the "regular" Browns, if it were not for the fact that seven of the nine players batted left-handed, under the leadership of Fielder Jones today defeated the remainder of the squad, which was managed by Hyman Pearlstone, the local fan who is responsible for the Browns training here, 10—6.

Only seven innings were played and some 200 paid to see the fun.

Jones nominated Sisler, Shotton and Tobin for his outfield, with Borton, Pratt, Johnson and Austin on the inner defense.

Ernie Koob opened on the hill with Hank Severeid behind the bat. Severeid and Pratt were the only right-handers in this array and for that reason the line-up cannot seriously be considered as an indication of what Jones regards as his strongest front. At least not if the enemy sends a southpaw to the hurling hill. **Against a right-handed artilleryman, however, this is as good as any combination that he might sort out.**

But it remained for a recruit right-hander to stop the sweeping attack of this collection of portside gunners. George Fincher, a Southern League recruit, who has a side-arm motion after the fashion of Alexander, went to Jim Parks' rescue when the Kentuckian was in trouble in the fourth frame and mowed the regulars down with great dispatch. He operated three innings and only one scratch hit was made off his delivery. Only nine men faced him, although he walked three. Three were effaced on attempted steals of third, while Fincher picked two off first. **He has a fine motion to the initial bag and nabbed Johnson and Severeid flat-flooted, five feet from the bag.**

Koob Proves Effective.

Ernie Koob was equally effective, but he didn't face the regular team. He opposed the Pearlstones for three innings, yielding only two hits, one a double by John Lavan that scored a run. Davenport was wild and walked six men in the three innings, but he fanned five, partially neutralizing the damage done by his lack of control.

Jones' team worked several smart tricks that worried the Pearlstones, the base-running of Sisler and Austin being a particular feature. They faced Jim Parks when the game opened.

Shotton started with a walk and Austin drilled a single over second. Walker's throw to Deal was perfect, but Chuck muffed it and Bert was safe at first. Austin skedaddling to second. Sisler lifted to Walker and Shotton paid marked respect to Tillie's arm. Pratt then bounced a single off Parks' shins, scoring Shotton, while Austin went to third. Borton's triple to right brought in Austin and

Jones' Regulars (?) Can Hit

PEARLSTONES.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Lavan ss	2	0	1	2	4	1
Miller lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Walker cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Paulette 1b	4	0	0	9	1	0
McKechnie 2b	3	0	1	2	4	0
Deal 3b	3	1	0	1	2	1
Clemons c	3	0	2	3	1	0
Crandall rf	4	2	3	4	2	0
Parks p	1	0	0	1	0	0
Fincher p	1	0	0	0	3	0
McCabe p	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Hartley	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	3	6	27	15	2

JONES.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Shotton lf	3	2	1	1	0	0
Austin 2b	3	2	1	1	2	0
Sisler cf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Pratt 3b	3	1	2	0	2	0
Borton 1b	3	1	3	7	0	0
Tobin rf	3	0	0	1	0	0

That Survey of Big League Diamonds May Reveal a Lot of Rhinestones

COULON ASKED FOR BOUT, FUTURE CITY MATCHMAKER SAYS

Club Did Not Even Know S. B. A. C. Was Dickering With New Orleans Fighter.

CHARGES CALLED ABSURD

Tommy Sullivan Asserts Southsiders Should Hold Their Boxers With Forfeits.

Tuesday's Boxing Bouts at Future City A. C.

Harry Kabakoff of St. Louis vs. Eddie Coulon of New Orleans, 8 rounds at 118 pounds ringside.
Joe McMullen vs. Joe Zeman, 8 rounds at 128 pounds.
Georgie Witt vs. Bill Amsten, 6 rounds at 116 pounds.
Harry Murell vs. "Buster" Brown, 6 rounds at 142 pounds.

By Harry S. Sharpe.

If a boxing commission existed with jurisdiction in the city of St. Louis it is probable that the case of the South Broadway A. C. vs. Future City A. C. would be next on the docket and some matters passed upon that are right now causing charges and denials that may result in the extermination of professional boxing here, unless they cease.

It is a situation that might be cleared by satisfactory explanations, and it would seem the part of wisdom for the aggrieved parties to get together and adjust their differences and come to some mutual understanding.

The South Broadway A. C. alleges that the Future City A. C. is jealous of its success in staging professional boxing for the entertainment of its members and is retaliating by methods calculated to interfere with the smooth operation of these performances.

As evidence of this belief it is cited by officials of the South Side organization that Bobby Anderson, the Duquoin (Ill.) boxer, was induced by the Future City A. C. to box Matty Smith of Racine, Wis., four days prior to the time Anderson had agreed to box "Young" Otto Wallace before the South Broadway A. C., thereby imperiling the latter's show, had Anderson lost to Smith.

Accident or Design?

Then, too, when Jimmy Mitchen of New York had been signed to box "Sailor" Jerabek last Saturday night, some members of the South Broadway A. C. profess to think it something more than an accident or a coincidence that Mitchen should make his appearance so much under the influence of liquor that he was not permitted to go on with the bout.

Finally, the S. B. A. C. men cite the fact that, after Eddie Coulon of New Orleans had been engaged to box Jimmy Murphy one week from today, the Future City A. C. engaged Coulon to box Harry Kabakoff before that organization, next Tuesday.

It is alleged, too, that when Anderson was to box Wallace, a representative of the Future City A. C. approached the Duquoin boy and offered him $37.50 if he would report at 3 o'clock on the day of the bout to weigh in and then fail to appear that night to keep his engagement. In support of this claim, Eddie Randall, referee for the South Broadway A. C., is named as a witness.

Before going any further, it may be stated that when Randall was asked about this he said that last Saturday night, while he was in the office of the South Broadway A. C., Anderson's manager was present and he heard him say that Anderson had been approached in the manner complained of.

However, Randall said he had not talked with Anderson in regard to the matter and knew nothing more than what he had heard in the conversation referred to.

Sofka Lifts His Voice.

Matt Sofka, in making his complaint against the Future City A. C., said:

"The Future City A. C., after I had signed Anderson and Wallace, induced Anderson to box Matty Smith. Had Anderson lost, our match would have been ruined, with only four days in which to find a substitute.

"I had Eddie Coulon and Jimmy Murphy matched for a week from today. Now the Future City organization jeopardizes this bout by matching Coulon with Harry Kabakoff for next Tuesday—four days before our match."

Tommy Sullivan, matchmaker and manager of the Future City A. C., makes emphatic denial of the South Broadway Club's charges, and says they are ridiculous in view of the fact that he has never considered the South Broadway organization as a menace to the Future City A. C.'s success.

"There is room enough in St. Louis for at least two good clubs giving professional boxing," said Sullivan, "or even more. I am willing to cooperate with any of them to put boxing on a sound footing and make it pay a reasonable return to the promoters. So far, I have promoted my club without regard to what others are doing only because none of them have offered to join with me in promoting the sport.

"The Future City A. C. passed through a long period when it was difficult to meet expenses; but we stuck to it and were consistent in our efforts to please. The club has been on a paying basis now for several months, and we have no cause for complaint because some other clubs have 'cut in.' We have our own patronage, and they have theirs; there should be no cause for jealousy or complaint that I know of. There certainly is none on our part.

Coulon Solicited Bout.

"We put on Coulon with Kabakoff because he and his manager came to us and solicited the bout. At the time we had no knowledge of his match with Murphy at the South Broadway.

"As for Anderson, he is a boy developed by the Future City A. C., and we feel entitled to employ a boxer we have made, especially when other clubs have imposed no condition upon him that prevent his boxing prior to a date they have arranged for him.

"We put on a show every week and sometimes are obliged to arrange our matches in a hurry. If another club has not tied up a boxer by the posting of forfeits not to box elsewhere, it is their fault if he sees fit to sign with some other club for a previous date. If a matchmaker is asleep on the job, why blame me? Still, I would gladly make an agreement that would avoid such conflicts, but I have never been approached upon the subject.

"I suggest that the South Broadway club can easily protect itself by requiring forfeits of all boxers who sign up with them, stipulating that they shall not box in

CHAMPIONS: M. A. A. Has Grabbed One and Is After the Other



BOB SIMPSON.



F. W. FLOYD

Simpson, it is said, will not join any club until he leaves Missouri University, two years hence. Three clubs are seeking to enroll him.

Floyd is ineligible to represent Missouri, and felt free to join.

World's Record Stars Have Entered Missouri A. A.'s Annual Indoor Meet

Tiger Athletes, Whose Marks Are Unbeaten in Hurdles and Pole Vault, Will Be Among Many College Men Competing.

WHEN the pistol's crack announces the start of the 50-yard invitation high hurdle race at the annual indoor games of the Missouri A. A. at the Coliseum, March 25, spectators will see the four greatest performers in the West, probably in the country, break for the tape.

The entries for this event are Bob Simpson, Missouri, who tied the world's record of 15 seconds flat in the 120 yards event; Packer of Iowa Aggies, the only hurdler to ever defeat Simpson in a dual race; Starr of Cornell, one of the greatest of the Eastern hurdlers, and Ames of Illinois, who recently set a 40-yard indoor record.

In the invitation pole vault a field equally as remarkable will compete, including F. W. Floyd of Missouri University and the Missouri A. A., who recently set the world's indoor record on a board floor, 12 ft. 8¼ in.; Foss of Cornell, who has done 12 ft. 9 in. outdoors; Culp of Illinois U.; Graham, Chicago A. A., and Knourek, Illinois A. C. Only men whose records surpass 12 feet have been invited to compete in this race.

Other events of the big meet will have equal class; but these two are particularly interesting from the fact that Missouri athletes are almost certain winners despite the famous competition.

M. A. A. Meet Program.

INVITATION — Hess 880, Pennsylvania-Cornell relay. Special 50, pole vault, high hurdle, 440-yard run and one-mile run.
HIGH SCHOOL EVENTS—50-yard dash and 600-yard run.
OPEN A. A. U. HANDICAP—High jump, 50-yard dash, 600-yard run and 1000-yard run.
RELAY RACES — Missouri Valley Conference, St. Louis high schools, Missouri State high schools, Illinois State high schools, schoolboys, for those of eighth and ninth grades and turnvereins.

Great Future for Simpson.

SIMPSON will, unless accident interferes, almost surely become the greatest hurdler and one of the greatest allround college athletes of his day. Already he holds remarkable records in four events, as follows:

Running broad jump, 23 ft. 1 in.
100 yards dash, 10 1-5s.
Low hurdles, 24 3-5s.
High hurdles, 15s.

Simpson is 20 years old and has two years left as a Missouri U. athlete. If he takes up weight events he should give Alma Richards strong competition for the allround title. That he will be the first athlete to do the 120 hurdles in 14 4-5 seconds is said to be the prediction of Martin Delaney of the Chicago A. A. and John P. Nicholson of St. Louis, coach of Sewanee University.

Bob Simpson, Who Has Two More Years at Missouri U., Is Great in Jumping and Sprinting as Well as in Obstacle Races.

Floyd is from Miami, Ok., and is 22 years old. He has a degree from Missouri U. and is ineligible to longer represent his college.

He has been in the limelight since 1913. Last year he won the Big Nine vault with 12 feet 6 inches.

New Record Is His Goal.

FLOYD hopes to surpass ALL indoor marks. While he holds the indoor mark from a board take-off, he will have to go more than an inch higher to surpass the indoor record from a dirt floor.

Floyd will have a busy spring as he will compete in the Western A. A. U. and National A. A. U. pole vaults, besides the indoor event. The record he is shooting at is the world's record mark of 13 feet 2¼ inches, held by Mark A. Wright of Dartmouth.

Simpson has been urged to become a member of the A. A. U., but it is not expected that he will do so until his college career has been completed.

Brottem, Huggins' Recruit Catcher, Looks Like 'Find'

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was a second baseman before he joined the Cards. Beck's injury made it necessary to place Bruno at third, where he made good. Moving to second will be like going back home for Betzel. Hug will be able to give himself a much needed rest with Beck back in the fray.

This Tony Brottem shapes up more like a big league receiver every day. Of course, it is impossible to be certain, at this early stage, that the young man has the ability to hold down a backstop's job in fast company; but on his showing to date Huggins is confident Toney has the goods.

He'll get plenty of chance to work down here. Hug knows what Snyder and Gonzales, the other catchers can do. That makes it possible to work the new man at every opportunity.

Pitchers Well Advanced.

That there is nothing like hot weather to take the kinks out of a pitcher's arm has been demonstrated by the stay in San Antonio. Working under a boiling hot sun for six days, the hurlers have advanced farther than they would in twice that length of time under the conditions that prevail at most training camps.

Harry Sallee crystallized the comment of the twirlers when he remarked as follows this afternoon: "I'm just about ready to go home and start the season. My arm feels better right now than it has for years. Just watch me shake off that early season hoo-doo, this year, if this kind of weather holds out."

Huggins has made every one of his pitchers work overtime learning to hunt. Some of them men, notable Bill Doak, have gone at the work eagerly and intelligently and have made considerable headway. Others have not done so well. Lee Meadows, in particular, finds it no easy task to lay the ball down.

The pitchers uniformly predict a good season for the club. "Just let the outfild brace up and play some ball and we'll more than do our share," is the verdict of the twirlers.

C. B. C. ESSMANS GRAB OFF ANOTHER VICTORY

The C. B. C. Essmans added another victory to their string yesterday afternoon, when they handed the Baden School basket ball five a 22—14 drubbing on the C. B. C. court. R. Moriarity, with 12 points, starred for the winners. The lineup:

Essmans (22).	Position.	Baden (14).
R. Moriarity (12)	Left forward	Pelcher (5)
Clark (4)	Right forward	Colliflr (2)
Ganis (0)	Center	Smith (7)
Carr (4)	Left guard	Diedeker (5)
Willey (2)	P. Moriarity, Right guard	Reilly Davis-Lee

Fulton to Meet Flynn.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 4.—Fred Fulton, Minnesota, and Jim Flynn, Pueblo, Colo., were matched today for a 10-round heavyweight bout before the National A. C. here, on March 17. If Fulton wins, it was announced, he will go to New York and challenge the winner of the Willard-Moran fight for a 20-round bout in New Orleans.

LOOKING THEM OVER WITH OLD MAN DOPE

By John Edward Wray

Wanted: A Separator.

OLD MAN DOPE spent the week reading accounts of Champion Jess Willard's first workouts in New York. The effort to digest it all brought on an attack of acute mental anguish.

As a matter of fact, some of the statements made by critics are hard to swallow, much less assimilate.

For example, one New York writer declares Willard, his first out, was not fat, but sleek; that he showed tremendous improvement in his boxing; that he was as agile in shadow-boxing as Abe Attell in his prime; and that he was as fast and clever as Jim Corbett, in certain boxing efforts.

The same day another writer in New York who saw the same workout declared:

"Jess Willard is VERY fat; he is flabby all over; the work he did will do little toward getting rid of the surplus; excepting once, his boxing consisted of standing still in the center of the ring and blocking blows; at times his sparring took on a circus flavor, because he knew what was coming."

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Wears Same Sized Hat.

OTHER writers expressed many varying opinions. Somewhere between the extremist views lies the truth about big Jess. It seems probable that the big fellow has increased in the following particulars:

Confidence in himself.
Defense and attack, to some extent.
Marksmanship (shooting the bull).
Pocketbook.
Waistline.

It is pleasing to note that no increase has taken place in the size of his hatband. Willard is apparently unaffected by his prosperity and honors and is a good-humored, reasonably modest fellow, judging by many reports of his biographers.

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A Long Range Interview With Jess.

JESS is a very easy man to interview judging from news reports. As Old Man Dope gets it, a sample quiz by a reporter would result in 16 smiles and 14 poses before the camera.

Tom Jones, his manager, sees that Jess doesn't overwork his vocal chords. He answers for the champion—literally.

Tom never gives a reporter a short answer.

If he is carefully handled he will confine each terse reply to three typewritten pages. Nor do you have to importune him to get his views.

You plant your battery in front of the champion and open fire, Gridley, about as follows:

"Jess, you say you are 20 years old. But Kansas authorities claim a returned marriage license shows you to be 33. Which is right?"

Smile from Jess, followed by this salvo from T. Jones: "Nothing to it. Did you ever SEE that marriage license? You say you saw it reproduced in a newspaper; but those things are easily faked. Jess is just a kid"—etc., etc., up to one column.

"What caused your awful showing against Carl Morris, Jess?"

The champion counters with a grin, T. Jones rebutting something like this: "You know there are some fighters who are so awkward they make anybody look bad. That's the big dub, Morris. He"—— Two columns of this.

"Is it true that Johnson reclined on the Havana ring when "knocked out," and shaded his eyes from the sun with his hand, while taking the count?"

Jess probably would like to lead here, but Jones beats him to the punch with: "I will leave it to any unbiased person present such as Jack Curley, myself, or Willard's seconds, if Johnson was not just as helpless as a man, standing, after his clothes have been stolen. Few champions ever received such a beating," etc. No limit to this.

"How many battles do you expect to fight before you go on the road again, Jess?"

"Our contract," Jones no doubt would reply, "with the circus people most unfortunately compels us to stop with the Moran bout, as we get an early start this year. But after next October we will be ready to risk the title come one, come all," etc., etc., hitting the "bull" squarely between the eyes.

"Have you improved in your boxing, Mr. Willard?" the patient questioner might continue.

"You ought to see this boy at his best"—Mr. Jones is at bat. "He has everything. Corbett and Attell would be sloths, compared to him. He has the punch, the skill and he is a great two-handed fighter," etc., write your own story, must be in superlatives.

"I take it from Mr. Jones' last remark, Jess"—this is a very obstinate interviewer—"that you are ambidextrous?"

This time Jess ought to be ready and beat Jones to it with:

"Not at all, old man. I'm Presbyterian."

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At which point we'll rest the case of Old Man Dope vs. Jess Willard, to be continued in our next.

FEDERAL LEAGUERS, NOT RECRUITS, MAY LAND REDS AT TOP

Improvement in Herzog's Club Due to Acquisition of Moseley, Schulz, Etc.

O. B. BUSHERS SEEM WEAK

Only Three of Those Signed by Cincinnati Have Records That Impress.

Charles Lincoln Herzog, manager of the Cincinnati Reds, probably will rely mainly on the players purchased from the Federal League to help lift the club out of the second division in the coming National League marathon. For the truth of the matter is, that very few tossers were garnered from the minors to help in the uplift of the aggregation.

Of the Red recruits landed from the minor circuits, just three of them made impressive records. They are John Beall, an outfielder from the American Association; Mitchell, a southpaw pitcher from Denver, and Callahan, another hurler from the Northwestern League.

But the six players snared from the Federals should help the Reds. In Schulz, the southpaw, and Moseley, a right-hander, Herzog grabbed two of the best flingers of that circuit. Schulz in 309 innings allowed 101 earned runs, an average of 2.94 per game. Moseley ranked fourth among the pitchers, with 2.12.

Schulz and Moseley Stars.

Then Louden and Esmond ranked well up among the infielders of the Gilmore circuit, while Anderson performed in good style in the Brookfed outfield. Huhn, the other member of the sextet, operated at first and behind the bat and made a fair showing.

John Beall, who is getting his second chance in the big show, batted .334 in the A. A. last season. He scored 111 runs and swiped 29 bases. Anderson was the chief base thief of the lot with 49.

This young southpaw, Mitchell, who comes from Denver of the Western League, is said to be a comer. He allowed 2.77 earned runs per game last year and won 22 and lost 11 games. He made the trip with the all-stars last fall and made things decidedly interesting for the old-timers. Callahan won 13 and lost 8 games in the Northwestern last season. The other youths to be given trials are Emmer, an infielder, and Dowd and Doucan, pitchers.

Records of Newcomers.

Records of newcomers who will get chances with Herzog's team:

NAME.	AB	R.	H.	SB.	Av.	F.P.
Beall	337	111	186	29	.334	.932
Louden	471	67	132	29	.280	.976
Callahan	134	12	35	2	.261	.962
Anderson	310	49	136	49	.259	.956
Esmond	369	79	147	17	.258	.993
Emmer	378	59	89	..	.235	.911
Mitchell	146	17	33	1	.231	.951
Huhn	414	35	94	11	.227	.980
Dowd	92	11	15	1	.163	.904
Schulz	108	7	17	1	.157	.983
Moseley	88	5	13	1	.148	.939

PITCHERS' RECORDS.

NAME.	Inn.	R.	Av.	W.	L.
Moseley	268	63	2.12	15	15
Schulz	309	101	2.94	21	14
Callahan	177	77	3.77	22	11
Dowd	231	116	....	14	9
Callahan	190	155	....	13	8
Doucan	..	..	....	22	4

The Wise Connie Mack.

If the story told by Bill Donovan, manager of the Yankees is true, then Connie Mack has one grand way of getting promising young ballplayers. The story of Donovan has to do with the Athletics obtaining Ritter, a young third sacker. Ritter last season played in the New England League and made a good record.

Mack wanted the kid, but did not want the other major league managers to know it. So instead of putting in a draft he had Jack Dunn, boss of the Richmond (International League) club, draft Ritter for $750 and then turn over three players to Dunn for the rookie. Had Mack drafted the kid it would have cost him $1500. He's expected to be the regular far corner guardian for the Mackmen this season.

The Portsmouth club of the Ohio State League had a pitcher on its payroll last season by the name of Test. Test proved a pretty good hurler, winning 21 games and losing only six. At the plate he was a pure "Test," hitting only .134.

Since George Sisler of the Browns had so much success as an allround player last season they're busy digging up loge on others who labored in many positions. Now it is found that Ferguson, who was with the Phillies in the late '80s, was the greatest allround player ever connected with the game. Ferguson, during his four years as a pitcher, won 99 games and lost 61. In the same period he had a swat mark of .310, getting 313 hits in 988 trips to the plate. Ferguson, besides being a hurler, was a catcher, infielder and outfielder of more than ordinary ability.

Maisel to Play Right.

Manager Donovan, who is sending a bunch of 46 athletes through a course of spring training at Macon, Ga., announces that Fritz Maisel, who last season, was the best third sacker in the A. L. will be stationed in right field this year, with Magee in center and either Hitch or Gilhooley in left. Smiling figures on Pipp, Gedeon, Peckinpaugh and Baker as his regular infield. If the Yanks' manager does not change his mind before the season opens this will be quite a formidable aggregation.

Ralph Comstock, who at one time pitched for a local semi-professional club, has found that the baseball war is over. Comstock last year was with the Pittsfeds and hauled down $5750 for his labors. Recently he was sent a contract by the Providence club of the International League calling for $900. Comstock did not sign, but sent both documents to Pres. Dave Fultz of the Players' Fraternity.

With six ex-Feds already signed by the club, Charley Herzog, boss of the Reds, has turned down an offer to give Hugh Bedient, who starred for the Red Sox in the 1912 world's series. Herzog could have had Bedient for the asking, but thinks he's well supplied with flingers.

At present, though Garry Herrmann and the Reds, are confronted by a perplexing situation. Recently Von Kolnits turned in his resignation stating he would play no more. Now he's decided to return. What the Fed officials now want to know is whether a player can return after once resigning and demand his old salary. Herrmann is head of the National Commission, so its up to him.

National Orders Club Owners to Survey Diamonds

Correctness of Measurements Must Be Sent to Him, President Tener States.

NEW YORK, March 4.—For the first time in its history, the National League will have its playing fields surveyed by competent engineers and the correctness of the measurements certified to the president of the league.

There always has been some doubt, owing to former imperfect rules and diagrams, as to the proper distance of pitcher's plates and batsmen's boxes on some of the National League infields, and on one diamond, at least, it was discovered that the pitcher's plate had been installed too close to the plate. In an official communication sent to his club owners today, accompanied by a new blue print and a copy of the corrected rules, President Tener said:

"The foregoing is sent you in order that your club may comply with the league resolution requiring that all playing fields and diamonds in our circuit be surveyed by a competent engineer, who shall certify to the president of the league, prior to the opening of the season, that the distances are correct and that the position of the pitcher's plate is in conformity with the rule."

That especial attention is to be paid to the building of the pitchers' plate the raising of which had grown to an abuse of the rule by some of the clubs, is evidenced by additional instructions from the president, which read as follows:

"This survey should be after the grounds have been prepared in all respects for championship games, in which preparation especial attention should be given the letter and spirit of section 2 of rule 9, which requires that the pitchers' plate shall be not more than 15 inches higher than the base lines or home plate, and that the slope from the pitchers' plate to every base line and the home plate shall be gradual.

"After your playing field has been laid out in all respects to conform with this diagram, and the rules, you will see to it that it is so permanently maintained."

131 TEAMS ARE ENTERED IN NORTH SIDE TOURNEY

When the entries for the North Side handicap tournament, to be rolled on the Teutonia alleys, starting March 17, were completed it was found that 131 teams had sent in their entry. It is expected that a meeting will be called at which the West Side probably will be postponed for a time. Henry Menne expects to invite Mayor Kiel and Gov. Major to the opening of the North Side. Six Wabash teams will roll the first night. The entries:

Wabash Auditors, Wabash Banners, Wabash Generals, Wabash Car Accountants, Wabash Freight Claims, Wabash Fourth Street Station, Federals, Accountant Department Bell Telephone, Traffic Department Bell Telephone, Englands, Western Union Money Grams, Western Union Night Letters, Western Union Cablegrams, Missouri R. A. Velvets, Pythagoras Seniors K. of P., Pythagoras Juniors K. of P., Royal Monitors K. of P., Falstaffs, Major City, Petersons, Imperials, Western Toilet Supply Co., Old Scenter Ryes, Corbetts, Major City League, Cobwebs, Metropolitan, Tokios, Royal Leaguers, Hudson-Phillips, Dorris Motor Car Co., Illinois Central Railway, Burkes, Specials Western Union, Rex, Linotypes Post-Dispatch, Business Office Post-Dispatch, Photo Engravers Post-Dispatch, Brunks, Fisk Red Tops, Wm. S. Drozdas, Huttig Sash and Door Co., St. Louis Stars, Tom Burns, North Ends A. A., Ranhaels R. A., Century Electrics, Boehls, Emblems, Rocklands, Hahs Bakery, Mentor No. 1 R. A., Grocers, Terminals, General Underwriters, Ries Plumbers, Bulldog Athletic Club, Adam Rothe, K. J. Witters, Union Sodas No. 1, Union Sodas No. 2, Du Pont Powder, Golden Rods, Laclede, Nitros, Pennant Keen Kutter, Concordia No. 1, W. O. W., General Electrics, Jacksons, Wesco Supply Co., Werder Selects, Hickory R. A., Adela Buffet, Budweisers, Grelles Stars, Submarines O. F. S. A. Gaat Kids, Tebbe Clothing Co., A. T. Mueller Mercantile Co., Maplewood No. 2, Turkeys, Stroeblen, Wild Hunter Dairy, Kinlichy Wiggins Ferry Co., Frank Adams Co., H. C. Mennes, Wabash 248 K. of P., Woodbines No. 1, Woodbines No. 2, Splits, Wrens, W. O. W. Molitors, Bentons, Teutonias, Colts, Vandalia Railway Co., Hope K. of P., Kretchmer's Mets, Kupp's Team, Fidelitys, Pelts, Leifields, Grand Specials, Ozarks, Office Team U. S. M., Lasters U. S. M., Goodyear U. S. M., Schweigler Sodas No. 1, Schweigler Sodas No. 2, Swiss Hall, Laclede Gas Co., Old Guard R. A., Harry Js., Ameican Camp, W. O. W., Schweizerlands, Victor Colts, Victors, Wingo Colts, C. W. Meyers, Brewers No. 2, Eagles, Monroe K. of P., Krueger Kids, Alpen Brauz, East St. Louis, and St. Claire, East St. Louis.

Navy Athletes Beaten.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., March 4.—The Naval Academy lost three of four athletic contests here this afternoon by a single point each. Princeton won the triangular gymnastic match by 21 to 20 for Navy and 13 for University of Pennsylvania. It was the first defeat for a naval academy gymnasium team in seven years. The swimming match went to Princeton by 26 to 25 and the New York Fencing Club won the match with foils by 5 to 4. Navy wrestlers, however, took every bout from Princeton, winning three of the bouts on clean falls.

Carpentier, Now French Army Aviator, Will Not Give Up Career in Ring

Says First Act After Allies Put Out Germans Will Be a Battle With Willard—That Is if He Is Still Champion.

(Special correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.)

PARIS, Feb. 17.

GEORGES CARPENTIER, Sergeant in the French flying corps and champion de boxe of France, has no intention of giving up pugilism for aviation. At present flying is both his business and his pleasure. In the future—in that dim future when the war will have ceased—it will become merely his avocation. The prize ring must remain, he says, his only true vocation.

"Whoever started that story about me giving up boxing was very badly informed," Carpentier told the Post-Dispatch correspondent.

"Why, just to show how false it is, I don't mind letting you know that the first thing I'm going to do after we've put the Germans out for the count, is to jump across the Atlantic and have a go at Jess Willard—that is if he's still champion. Whether it's Willard or somebody else, it's pretty certain to be an American. We on this side of the water haven't time to be going after championships nowadays."

Wants to Meet Willard.

Carpentier was in Paris on a few days leave from the front when I met him. In his well-fitting blue tunic, upon the breast of which there hung the bronze Croix de Guerre for gallantry under fire, the young Frenchman looked fit to clamber over the ropes at a minute's notice.

After he had so emphatically disposed of the report of his retirement from the squared circle I asked him whether he found time to follow the fighting news from America.

"Well," he replied with a smile, "I confess to having a very much keener interest in the European fighting news as related in our official communiques. Still, I'm not altogether unfamiliar with Mr. Jess Willard's career. Although I've never seen him in action, I rather fancy my chances against him, in fact it won't do any harm for him to know that the war hasn't altered my ambition to be world's champion some day, and in that connection I hope he'll give me the pleasure of donning the mitts with him—some day.

Darcy, Middle Weight Champion of Australia, Also in Aviation Corps

Les Darcy, the middleweight champion of Australia, who was detained for army service by the Australian officials, when he was about to make a trip to the United States to seek further laurels in the squared arena, is also an "air man" having joined the aviation corps from his country.

To date, the most notable features in Darcy's ring record are two knockouts over Eddie McGoorty the American, who for a long time was considered as a probable 158 pound title-holder.

Has Put on Weight.

"War life is a capital thing for anybody who doesn't run up against bullets or other dangerous missiles. I've put on weight and I'm stronger than ever. In aviation we get all the fresh air we need, healthy food and hours as regular as clockwork.

"But to return to Willard. I hear that he and Frank Moran are to meet in the near future. That interests me immensely, for I am well posted on Moran's abilities, having been referee in his fight with Jack Johnson in Paris just before the war began. Should he have a try at Willard, I'll be able to get a pretty clear idea of the world's champion some day, and in that connection I hope he'll give me the pleasure of donning the mitts with him—some day.

Will Have Pretty Good Idea of His Chances After Willard-Moran Clash

"ALL this talk sounds mighty far away to me," Carpentier added with a broad grin, "considering I'm more likely to have a bout with a Zeppelin than with either Moran or Willard just at present."

"Do you train much at the front?" he was asked.

"Yes, occasionally, but perhaps not as often as I should—at least so far as training for boxing pure and simple is concerned. But I'm continually taking exercise to keep me fit in the general sense. And an aviator's job is very effective in preventing flesh. You don't get very fat skipping about over the German lines, and, candidly speaking, I find dodging shrapnel from anti-aircraft guns a whole lot more exciting than the hardest ring fight I was ever in. Landing on the right spots of your opponent's anatomy isn't half as hard as keeping our machine right side up in a sudden gale, particularly when you pilot a heavy-going biplane, like my Farman. Yes, sir, there's no sport like flying, just as, for me, there's no business equal to boxing."

No Business Like Boxing.

"Have you ever done any glove fighting at the front?"

"No," Carpentier replied, regretfully. "I'm sorry to say I haven't. One time it looked as if I were going to get a chance of sparring. There were some English chaps attached to the Royal Army Medical Corps in my sector, and one of them, who had quite a reputation as an amateur, was keen to have a go with me—of course under amateur conditions. We had the match all arranged when I was suddenly ordered to another sector, and so it fell through. Don't get the idea from that that the French authorities were afraid I might do one of our allies some harm and so had me transferred. They had no objection to the bout whatever, and it may still be arranged. The conditions were to be six rounds of two minutes each with six-ounce gloves. I never saw anybody so disappointed as that English doctor when I had to tell him it was all off."

There is one subject about which Carpentier is taciturn. It was not from him, therefore, I learned that in addition to the personal mention in dispatches the day which gained for him the Croix de Guerre, after the Champagne offensive he was honored with a second distinction, in the commendation of the aerial squadron of which he was a member. Here are the terms which were applied to Carpentier and his five fellow pilots:

More Honors for Boxer.

"Rendered exceptional service during recent operations, thanks to the intelligent and energetic initiative of its chief, and the great courage, audacity and devotedness of its pilots."

Carpentier has been proposed for commissioned rank and is likely to be gazetted a second lieutenant at any time. This prospective honor and those which have already come to him, have caused the young Frenchman not only the daily risk of his life in his country's service, but a very considerable amount of money as well. As a conservative estimate, in fact, he has lost $100,000 through the war. While the last few months he has received offers from American fight promoters which would have been worth at least $40,000 to him. And setting his earnings during the past 10 months had there been no war at $60,000, sufferers on the side of moderation. Yet his worst enemy, if such there is, could never accuse Carpentier of having uttered a word of complaint on this score, or of having begrudged in the faintest what he has been doing for France.

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CLUBS CAN FARM OUT 16 PLAYERS IN 1916 SEASON

Commission Raises Limit From Eight on Account of Present Conditions.

NEW RELEASE RULING

Said to Protect the Player as Well as Owner and Conform With Rules.

CINCINNATI, O., March 4.—Owing to a letter that was received during its session today, the National Baseball Commission laid over any action that it might have taken regarding the differences between organized baseball and the Baltimore Federal League club.

The letter contained the information that these differences had practically been settled by those most interested and that further data regarding the case was on its way here.

The commission adopted a form for the release of players that will protect the club and the player and at the same time comply with the rules of the game. It was stated it will also coincide with the Players' Fraternity agreement.

The decision of the national board not to give protection to the city of Butte, Mont., in the Northwestern League until it had paid its salary claims for the season of 1914 was sustained. The request to include Butte was made by the Northwestern League.

Options Increased to 16.

The number of optional agreement players of a major league was increased to 16 for the season of 1916. The number formerly was eight, and the increase was made to help in the adjustment of conditions that have arisen from the baseball war.

Consideration of amendments to the drafting rules submitted by President Ebbetts of the Brooklyn club and President Gardner of the Dallas (Tex.) club, were discussed by the commission and laid over until another meeting.

The National League's proposed amendment to rule 1 of the playing code to increase the legal distance from the home plate to a stand or fence from 235 feet to 270 feet was received and will be certified to the joint Rules Committee.

A rule was adopted permitting a club, when notified by a player that he will not report or fulfill his existing contract, to carry him on a retired list, and if he reconsiders the matter the question of a new contract would be subject to negotiation.

Player Dunning, who was released by Charlotte, N. C., was awarded to the Cleveland American League club, which, in turn, has released the player to Asheville, N. C.

The claim of Player Schmutz against the Brooklyn National League club, amounting to $575, was allowed. This represented the difference between his Brooklyn contract and that of the Salt Lake or Seattle clubs.

Charley Ebbetts Gets His.

Player Raleigh Atchson submitted an affidavit setting forth that he signed with the Brooklyn club for 1916 at a salary of $4000. He contended he was released to Milwaukee, from which he received a contract containing a salary of $3500. The commission ruled that his services to the Milwaukee club would not to any extent abrogate his Brooklyn contract. The Brooklyn club is required to conform to the players' agreement by notifying the player of all the conditions by which his transfer is made to the Milwaukee club, same to be credited to the amount of his salary for 1916 with the Brooklyn club.

The commission ruled that his services to the Milwaukee club would not to any extent abrogate his Brooklyn contract. The Brooklyn club is required to conform to the players' agreement by notifying the player of all the conditions by which his transfer is made to the Milwaukee club.

M. A. A. Soccer League Ends Season Today

THE closing games of the Municipal Soccer League will be staged today in the different parks. Next Sunday the elimination contests to decide the city champion will be started at the Christian Brothers' College campus. The two clashes in group No. 2 at Fairground should prove the feature today. The complete schedule:

CARONDELET PARK.
Kohlmans vs. Spanish Club.
Southern A. C. vs. Eckhardts.
FOREST PARK.
Columbus Club vs. Concordia.
Manhattans vs. Yawitz.
C. B. C.
Trumbulls vs. West End A. C.
Knights of Father Mathew vs. St. Edwards.
C. B. C. vs. Columbian A. C.
FAIRGROUND NO. 1.
St. Liborius vs. St. Teresa.
St. Augustine vs. Perpetual Help.
GROUP NO. 2.
Bob Whites vs. M. A. A.
Leacocks vs. Ruhrs.
GROUP NO. 3.
Manewals vs. Immaculate Concention.
Ellermans vs. Rice-Stix.

Aggies Defeat Pikers, 24-16, for Second Win

Victory Last Night Gives Kansas Farmer Boys Southern Division Title.

The Kansas Agriculture School basket ball five of Manhattan, Kan., last night, clinched the supremacy in the southern division of the Missouri Valley Conference, by defeating the Washington University quintet, 24 to 18, at Francis Gymnasium. The victory was the second for the Manhattan farmers' lads in the two day's stand here.

Although the visitors defeated the locals, it was not without a real struggle in both contests that Coach Friecke's charges were downed. With but a six-point margin to last night's conquest and the 29 to 20 score of the previous evening, the cardinal and white passers met stiffer competition here than they had in any Conference series with the exception of that with the Missouri Tigers.

The locals played a better game last night than they did on Friday, but inasmuch as the visitors also looked better, the improvement did not bring about the desired result. The teamplay was more distinctive and the passing was more accurate. Capt. Berry again showed at a forward position and netted four field goals, besides two free throws. Bill generally scores a larger number from the foul line, but the Aggies only fouled three times and he had but little opportunity. McIlrath, the Aggie center, shone.

The visitors hopped off to an eight-point lead, scoring a quartet of goals from the field. The Pikers then awakened and at the close of the first half the count was 13 to 11 in favor of the Aggies. The maroons tied up matters as soon as play was resumed and from then until five minutes from the close of the game the lead changed hands frequently. Then with the score 18—17, Washington leading, the visitors ran out with seven points.

Washington (18)	Position	Kansas Aggies (24)
Perry (10)	Left forward	Adams (3)
Stout (4)	Right forward	Reynolds (6)
Pusick (2)	Center	McIlrath (8)
Miller (2)	Right guard	Gunning (0)
	Right guard	McMillan (0)
Hewitt (0)	Left guard	Ramsey (2)

HALPIN WINS 300-YARD RACE, BUT IS DISQUALIFIED

Kelley, Who Is Awarded Prize, Says He Will Turn It Over to His Rival.

BOSTON, March 4.—Sectional Athletic champions were decided by unusually close competition at the meet under the auspices of the New England Amateur Athletic Union tonight. The games served as elimination trials for competitors to represent New England at the national indoor meet to be held in New York.

In the 300 yards' run the pace was so swift that Andrew B. Kelley of Holy Cross and Thomas J. Halpin of Boston, the latter a national champion, ran into each other on the home stretch. Although Halpin finished first, the prize was awarded to Kelley on the ground that Halpin had fouled him.

Kelley said, however, that he would turn the prize over to Halpin. The time of 35 3-5 seconds in this event was remarkably fast.

Another stirring finish came in the two-mile run, won by A. Colby, of the Boston Athletic Association. James Power of this city, former Australian mile champion, collapsed and Emery F. Mahoney of the Boston A. A., the New England outdoor titleholder led almost to the finish, faltered at the tape and slipped back into third place, behind George Goodwin, a Wakefield High School student.

The summaries:

Sixty-yard dash—Won by Andrew Kelley, Holy Cross; second, E. J. Foley, Holy Cross; third, S. F. Howe, Boston Y. M. C. A. Time, 6 3-5s.

Six-five yard hurdles—Won by P. D. Pollard, Brown; second, J. A. High, Boston A. A.; third, W. H. Meanix, B. A. A. Time, 8 2-5s.

Two-mile run—Won by A. D. Colby, Boston A. A.; second, George Goodin, Wakefield High School; third, Henry F. Mahoney, Boston A. A. Time, 9m. 48 3-5s.

Sixteen-pound shotput—Won by John C. Lawler, Boston, unattached, distance 45 ft. 6⅜ in.; second, Robert E. Lucey, Irish-American A. A., distance 44 ft. 9½ in.

70-yard dash—Won by Yale, 25 points; second, Michigan, 15 points; third, Massachusetts, Institute Technology, 14 points; fourth, Pennsylvania, 14 points; fifth, Cornell, 10 points; sixth, Columbia, 7 points; seventh, Princeton, 4 points.

Final heat, individual, finish—Harold L. Smith, Michigan, first; Francis P. O'Hara, Massachusetts Institute Technology, second; Heaton I. Treadway, Yale, third; Harry Berg Jr., Yale, fourth. Time, 7 2-5s.

75 yards high hurdles—Won by Cornell, 25 points; second, Pennsylvania State, 21 points; third, Yale, 16 points; fourth, Princeton, 9 points; fifth, Pennsylvania, 2 points.

Final heat, individual finish—F. S. Starr, Cornell, first; John V. Fuller, Yale, second; L. E. Gubb, Cornell, third; Donald McK. Brown, Pennsylvania State, fourth. Time, 10s.

600-yard run—Won by J. T. Higgins, Holy Cross; second, S. D. Rose, Boston A. A.; third, R. L. Bent, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Time, 1m. 29 3-5s.

200-yard run—Won by Andrew Kelley, Holy Cross; second, W. H. Meanix, Boston A. A.; third, C. T. Geuthing, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Time, 35 3-5s. T. J. Halpin, Boston A. A., who finished first, was disqualified on a foul.

1000-yard run—Won by D. S. Caldwell, Boston A. A.; second, J. J. Losero, Irish-American A. A., Boston; third, H. R. Betchel, Harvard. Time, 2m. 21 4-5s.

Running high jump—Won by George Pelletier, St. John's School, Denvers, Mass., height 5 ft. 10 in.; second, Harry Barwise, Boston A. A., height 5 ft. 11 in. (tie, Pelletier winning jump off); third, A. S. Roberts, Newton High School, height 5 ft. 8 in.

McKinley Given 2 Places On All-Scholastic Five

Palmer, Forward, and Feuerborn, Center, Are Southsiders Honored—Cleveland Team Not Represented.

ALL-INTERSCHOLASTIC BASKET BALL TEAM

First Team	Position.	Second Team.
Palmer (M)	L. F.	(C) McElwee
Kaw (P)	R. F.	(P) Bekins
Feuerborn (M)	C.	(S) Ottofy
Larmore (C)	L. G.	(S, M.) Antrim.
Weidlich (S-M)	R. G.	(Y) Von Lohsen

(M)—McKinley. (P)—Principia. (C)—Central. (S-M)—Smith-Manual. (Y)—Yeatman. (S)—Soldan.

With the local scholastic basket ball season nearing its completion after a regime of some three months in the various preparatory and high schools, the selection of a quintet on which are placed those players who have made the best showing in their respective positions in the local scholastic circle, seems well in order.

Selecting an "all-star" five from the high school teams this winter is a far more difficult task than it has been in seasons past. Not that there are so many real high-class tossers, but, on the other hand, there are too few individual stars. There are a few of the players who are of the same class as were the stars of the past few seasons, but in order to select two fives, one must draft from a large class of less capable players.

The forwards are well defended. In Palmer of McKinley and Kaw of Principia, the quintet would have a pair of scoring forwards that would compare with any in the city. Both players—they incidentally were the captains of their respective teams—were essentially offensive players. Palmer has scored more field goals than any other forward in the high school league. In the first six games of the schedule he tosses 38 two-point goals. Kaw, in his best contest of the year, netted nine field goals against the McKinley guards. Five was the high mark until the Principia star set this record. Both players are good at the floor game and would fit well with smooth team play.

McElwee Is Too Erratic.

McElwee of Central would by many be awarded a position, but he was too erratic. Playing a clever game one week, the following contest he offered a mediocre exhibition. Menze of McKinley Bekins of Principia, Savage of Soldan, and Drewes and Kelly of Yeatman also deserve mention.

There is no need to go into comparison to decide the center position, inasmuch as Feuerborn of McKinley was head and shoulders above every other mid court man in the high school set. The only angle of center play in which Feuerborn was outclassed by his opponents was in the jump, owing to his smaller stature. The jump, in the estimation of many critics, is but a minor part of center play.

Feuerborn was an excellent shot, a clever floorman, good on the defense, a clean shot of free throws, and of that temperament that would greatly aid him in making a varsity five. Feuerborn is the most promising piece of basket ball material in the city.

Ottofy of Soldan, Switzer of Central, Imse of Smith-Manual and Colvin of Principia struggle for runner-up honors to the McKinley jumper. Imse and Colvin seem to be eliminated because of their erratic play. Switzer is a fair shot, but failed to fit in well in the Central team play and, consequently, Ottofy, because of his greater experience, gets the call.

Weidlich Best at Guard.

Scholastic guards on a whole were not as capable this season as have been the net defenders of recent seasons. There were a few such as Larmore of Central, Weidlich and Antrim of Smith-Manual, and Von Lehsen of Yeatman, who played cleverly at these positions, but outside of this quartet the real good guards were at a premium.

It must be remembered that the down court performers counted more in the scheme of play this season in the high schools, than had been the case heretofore, owing to the changed rules.

Guards this season were scoring assets, this feature having been introduced with the "dribble and shoot" ruling. Consequently a good guard necessarily had to be a fair shot as well as a good defensive player.

The Smith-Manual team made a good showing in the scholastic circles only because it had a better pair of guards than did any team in its class. Weidlich and Antrim formed a clever combination, the former being probably one of the best in the city. He was a good defensive man, which may be attested by the fact that but four field goals were scored against him. He himself tallied more than four times this number. He could dribble the ball and he was possessed with the knack of breaking up his opponent's dribble. He was an ideal guard.

Larmore played on a weak team, but at the same time was always an outstanding feature of the team play. His passing was good, and his aggressiveness practically held the mid-city team together. Antrim was also a clever player and probably would be next in line for a choice.











No. 4—Kaw, R. F., Principia.
No. 5—Feuerborn, C. McKinley.
No. 3—Palmer, L. F., McKinley.
No. 2—Larmore, L. G., Central.
No. 1—Weidlich, R. G., Smith-Manual.

Hal Chase Arrested on Charge of Failure to Support Minor Child

SAN JOSE, Calif., March 4.—Hal Chase, noted baseball player, was arrested on a charge of failure to provide for his minor child.

The warrant was sworn to by Mrs. Nellie Chase, the first baseman's former wife. Chase was released on $2000 bail and will appear for arraignment next week. At the time of the divorce in New York, it is said he agreed to pay $50 a month alimony for the support of Mrs. Chase and her minor child.

Chase played with a Federal League club last season. At present he is not connected with any team.

BRESNAHAN NOW OWNER OF ASSOCIATION CLUB

TOLEDO, O., March 4.—That the deal transferring the Cleveland (American Association) baseball club to Toledo was completed, was the statement made by Al Timme, president of the Milwaukee club, following a conference between Timme, Mike Cantillon, Roger Bresnahan and several attorneys here tonight. Plans for the reorganization of the club will be started at once, it was announced.

It also was stated that the franchise and players were turned over to Roger Bresnahan as manager of the club. The amount of money involved in the deal was not given out. Bresnahan declared he had settled with Charles Weeghman, but refused to make public the amount he received on his two-year contract with the Chicago (National League) club.

Fayette Girls Defeat Drury.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 4.—The girls' basket ball team of Howard Payne College, at Fayette, Mo., defeated the Drury Girls here tonight, 18 to 9. The Howard Payne team won from Springfield High last night, 18 to 11. The girls' basket ball championship of the State now lies between Howard Payne and Stephens College, at Columbia.

Hosley Mat Men Victors.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 4.—Indiana won the Conference wrestling match with Illinois, 18 to 10, here tonight. Indiana won one fall and two decisions, and Illinois one fall and one decision. One out was a draw.

Yale Wrestlers Win.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., March 4.—Yale won the first meet of the New England Intercollegiate Wrestling League here tonight, with a total of 34 points.

NATIONAL TENPIN TOURNEY STARTS; 756 TEAMS ENTER

Largest Field in History of American Bowling Congress Competes at Toledo.

TOLEDO, O., March 4.—Toledo's record breaking bowling tournament, the sixteenth annual renewal of the Bowling Congress got under way tonight. Sixteen Overland Clubs, representing the home town's contingent, were the first to face the pins.

The meet opened tonight eclipses in size and importance all of the former meets of the national winter game, players from over half of the United States entering the big affair, while Canada also contributed. 756 five-man teams have entered.

Meeting Extended to March 28.

Originally billed to finish March 25, the meet has been extended three days, making the closing day March 28. The additional time was forced to take care of something like 150 more teams that entered beyond the number anticipated.

The huge entry means almost continuous rolling every day from 8 a. m. until long past 1 a. m. It is estimated that more than 600 strangers will be in Toledo continually for more than three weeks, about 200 fresh arrivals coming in every day to take the places of the men who finish their matches and go home.

Champions of the 1915 meet, held in Peoria were as follows:

Five men—Barry-Kettelers, Chicago, 2907; doubles, H. and R. Allen, Detroit, 1297; individual, W. J. Pierce, Pueblo, Colo., 711; all events, Mattie Fastz, Chicago, 1876.

The records for the 16 years are as follows: Five men, Flor de Knispels, St. Paul, 1913, 3006; doubles, A. and T. Schwoegeler, Madison, 1909, 1304; individuals, H. Pierce, Pueblo, Colo., 1915, 711; all events, Ed Hermann, Cleveland, O., 1913, 1972.

Low scores marked the first shift, with the Overland Front Axle team rolling highest with a total of 2574 that won the special prize of $50 that was hung up for the opening night. None of the scores will figure in the prize standing.

Moving Pictures of Recent Bout Between Trendall and Lewis on View This Week

Moving pictures of the recent boxing contest held at the Coliseum between Ted Lewis of London, England, and Harry Trendall of St. Louis will be shown at the Standard Theater all of the coming week, beginning with today's matinee.

The pictures are the first taken of a boxing contest in St. Louis and are remarkably clear. The show every round of the contest, and the knockout of Trendall, which came in the seventh round, is plainly visible and the spectators see him counted out by Referee Harry Sharpe.

Lewis and Trendall are seen entering the ring with their retinue of attendants, and then pictures of local celebrities are shown on the canvas as they are being introduced to the crowd by Announcer Frank Witt.

SPORT SALAD

BY L. C. DAVIS.



Easiest Way the Best.

VERS LIBRE means: A flock of words
Devoid of rhyme or reason;
Although we know, in saying so,
We court the charge of treason.
Methinks it was invented by
Some poor, hard-working poet
Who, lacking time to make a rhyme,
Concluded he'd forego it.

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Watchful Waiting.

WHEN you seek an inspiration
That declines to inspirate,
When your fine imagination
Simply won't imaginate,
Do not try to force the issue,
With a story made of tissue;
For the muse will never miss you,
If you stick around and wait.

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The Wisconsin Boxing Commission refused a permit to Bat Nelson for a bout with Ad Wolgast. Probably didn't want Ad to be breaking his arms over Bat's concrete dome.

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Lee Magee thinks it would be wise for the Yanks to move over to Brooklyn, as his presence on the team would make a big hit with the perambulator pushers at the other end of the bridge. Indicating that Lee Magee thinks Leopold Hoernschemeyer is some baby.

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Tommy Leach has an 18-year-old son named Nelson who is said to be a much better ballplayer than his dad was, at that age. Maybe so; but he'll be some Leach if he sticks as long as the old man did.

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With a Judge on first base the Senators ought to get the best of the decisions this year.

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Chris Mathewson won his first game of the season at Marlin, the other day. Beat "Red" Dooin playing checkers, by heck!

Some Hut.

THE M-double-A is a neat little shack
With a large swimming pool and a nice running track;
A dandy gymnasium—pulleys galore,
And dumb-bells and horses and basket ball floor.

There are courts to play squash in
And bath tubs to wash in;
A guy can have all of the comforts of home.
There are courts to play handball,
A floor for a grand ball,
To practice the sinuous steps of Salome.

A hot and a cool room,
A billiard and pool room
For three-cushion billiards or Kelly, galore;
There's baths a la Turkey,
With atmosphere murky,
And rubbers to rub you until you are sore.

There are alleys to bowl in,
And sofe beds to roll in,
A grill where the dining room athletes perform;
A barber to trim you,
A maid who will glim you,
While rounding your finger nails up into form.

There's rest rooms to nap in,
A room you can scrap in,
A teacher to show you the art of defense;
The cuisine is rippin',
The cook is a pippin,
And ready to serve you at any expense.

Yes, take it all in all, the M. A. A. have a nice little bungalow. A guy needn't be a bit ashamed of locating his alibi there.

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Scandalous!

Winter ought to be pinched for lingering in the lap of Spring, this way.

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The Billiken board met Friday night, as usual, to discuss the filling of the vacancy left by ex-Coach George Keogan. Judging by the length of time it takes to fill it, George must have left an awful hole.

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A Gnawing Ambition.

Tom Seaton is holding out on the Cubs. Wonder what Seaton him?

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Second Childhood.

Fred Tenney, the old Giant first-sacker, says he is only 44 years old. Honus Wagner says he is only 42. Guess that's about right for Tenney, but Honus must have skipped several birthdays.

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If Joe can grab the grounders like Jim could grab millionaires, his future is secure.

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Famous Partnerships.

Grand and Olive.
Black and Blue.
Give and Take.
Harrigan and Hart.
By and Large.
To and Fro.
Back and Forth.

Ben Millers and Leos Battle in Soccer Feature

Looks Like Today Will Be Last Chance for Blue and White to Leave Cellar.

With the Ben Millers already having the pennant in the St. Louis Soccer League clinched, it looks as if the most important fight from now on will be the St. Leos' battle to get out of last place.

In today's game at Robison Field, the Millers stack up against the Leos in the opener, while the Inalsfalls and Naval Reserves meet in the closing encounter.

This probably will be the last chance for the Leos to get out of last place, as it is the intention of the officials to bring the Fullmans of Chicago here for games next Saturday and Sunday. A victory for the Leos and a defeat for the Naval Reserves will turn the trick of getting the blue and white out of the cellar berth.

With the race decided, several stars of the Municipal League are expected to get a chance to show in the "big ring" today. Paul McSweeney will be on hand to referee the two shows.

Yacht Regatta in July.

SANDUSKY, O., March 4.—The 1916 regatta of the Interlake Yachting Association will be held at Put-in-Bay during the week of July 16, according to action taken at the spring meeting of the association here today. Representatives of 24 yacht clubs were present.

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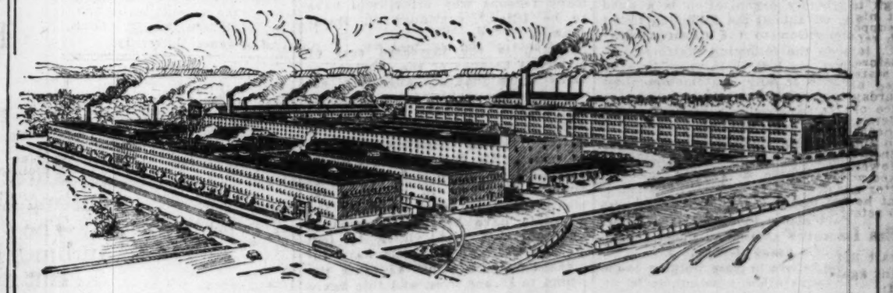
SIX 41—five-passenger touring, 120-inch wheelbase $1295
SIX 42—five-passenger touring, 121-inch wheelbase $1445
SIX 42—three-passenger roadster, 121-inch wheelbase $1445
SIX 51—seven-passenger touring, 126-inch wheelbase $1595

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WESTCOTT cantilever rear springs.
Patented WESTCOTT real leather upholstery, no buttons.
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Disappearing auxiliary seats.
Finest TROY windshield.
Genuine Fantasote top, jiffy curtains and twenty other WESTCOTT features.

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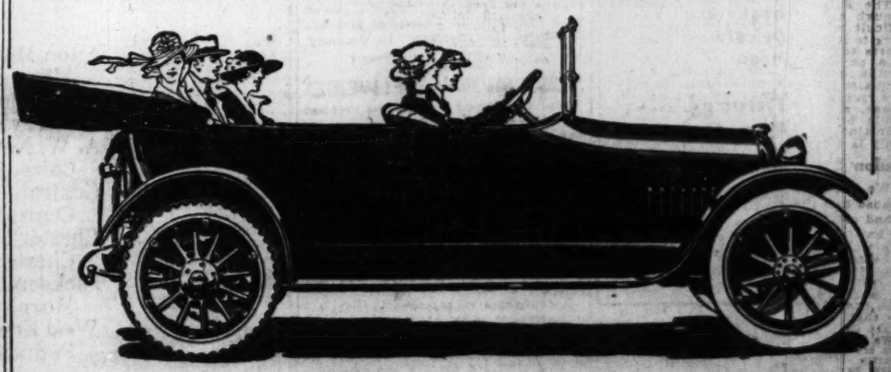
Concerning Reputation

It is possible for any concern to make a reputation on some new product, or by a circumstance create a temporary demand for their goods. But the company you should consider is the one whose reputation improves with age, and whose goods continually reflect their ability and experience.

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AUTOMOBILE NEWS

PROGRESSIVES NOMINATE TICKET FOR AUTO ELECTION

Vesper and Primm Head Ticket Against Phillips and Lewis, Regular Nominees, for Election April 10—Hot Contest Over "Spring Show" Platform Expected.

The annual meeting of the St. Louis Automobile Manufacturers' and Dealers' Association, Monday, April 10, promises to be the most spirited ever held by the association, but unlike previous elections where there was opposition, there is no ill-feeling extant. Two tickets will be in the field, one the "regulars," the other the "progressives."

The "regular" ticket was placed in nomination at a meeting of the old Board of Directors Monday. The nominees are:

President, John H. Phillips, Hudson Phillips Motor Car Co.

Vice president, J. D. Perry Lewis, Lewis Automobile Co.

Treasurer, Joseph A. Schlecht, Mound City Buggy and Auto Co.

Directors: Milton B. Strauss, Detroit Electric Car Co.; George Weber, Weber Implement and Auto Co.; James E. Newell, Newell Motor Car Co.; Frank R. Tate, Tate-Gillham Motor Car Co.; Wallace C. Capen, White Co., and H. G. Hurd, Buick distributor.

A meeting of the "progressive party" was held Saturday at Roth's Cafe, attended by 26 firm representatives, and an opposition ticket and a platform were adopted. The reform ticket is:

President, F. W. A. Vesper, Vesper-Buick Auto Co.

Vice president, S. S. Primm, Park Automobile Co.

Treasurer, Joseph A. Schlecht, Mound City Buggy and Auto Co.

Directors: I. G. McNeice, Cadillac Auto Co.; Ralph R. Doak, Woods Electric Vehicle Co.; J. D. Perry Lewis, Lewis Automobile Co.; Frank R. Tate, Tate-Gillham Motor Car Co.; H. F. Fahrenkrog, Kardell Motor Car Co., and James E. Newell, Newell Motor Car Co.

Perry Lewis is on one ticket for vice president and on the other for director. Joseph A. Schlecht, who has been treasurer for several years, is on both tickets for re-election. Frank R. Tate, once president, is on both tickets for director, and James E. Newell is on both for director. H. G. Hurd, Buick distributor, is a "regular" candidate for director, and F. W. A. Vesper, of the Vesper-Buick Co., is on the "progressive" ticket for president.

The secretary is selected by the Board of Directors. William O. Harden now holds the position, which is salaried.

The "progressive" party announced its "platform" as follows:

"Believing that friendly rivalry in any friendly organization is a good thing, we submit the following ticket in opposition to the ticket already made on the following platform:

"First, we believe in open drawing for space in any automobile show that may be held, the party drawing No. 1 to have first choice, No. 2 second choice, etc., the size of space to be regulated according to the place in which the show may be held.

"2. We believe in regular monthly meetings.

"3. We believe in a paid secretary with sufficient ability to conduct the affairs of the entire association under the direction of a board of directors.

"4. We believe in close working co-operation with other associations in St. Louis in kindred lines.

"5. We favor a spring automobile show and believe that adequate quarters can be had for holding same."

At the meeting the committee appointed to submit the opposition ticket to the association appointed was Roy E. Frye, Frye Motor Car Co.; L. G. Schubert, Von Arx Automobile Co.; E. W. Arbogast, St. Louis Cole Auto Co.; Phil H. Brockmann, De Luxe Auto Co., and William L. Johnson, Johnson Automobile Co.

The meeting developed a decided optimism for the future of the automobile industry in St. Louis and a determination to get every dealer in St. Louis into the association under a strong working basis with a determination to greatly develop the motor car trade in the St. Louis territory.

Those who attended the reform meeting were: B. P. Hummel, International Harvester Co.; F. O. Gillham, Tate-Gillham Motor Car Co.; H. G. Brouster, Leach, Brouster & Co.; S. S. Primm, Park Automobile Co.; Phil H. Brockmann, De Luxe Auto Co.; E. W. Arbogast, St. Louis Cole Auto Co.; W. J. Farrish and R. L. McCrea, Packard Missouri Motor Co.; John T. Salisbury, More Auto Co.; W. L. Johnson, Johnson Automobile Co.; A. F. Groebe, De Luxe Auto Co.; Roy E. Frye, Frye Motor Car Co.; Alex. Steiner, Velie Auto Co.; James E. Newell, Newell Motor Car Co.; Phil Wells, Moon Motor Car Co.; L. G. Schubert, Von Arx Automobile Co.; Ralph R. Doak, Woods Electric Vehicle Co.; H. F. Fahrenkrog, Kardell Motor Car Co.; George C. Brinkmann, G. C. Brinkmann Motor Car Co.; North Moore, Trenton Motor Car Co.; I. G. McNeice, Cadillac Automobile Co.; H. L. Schnure, Velie Automobile Co.; H. G. Hurd, Buick distributor; F. W. A. Vesper, Vesper Buick Auto Co.; Hermann Miller, Southern Auto and Machinery Co.

NOT NEW MODELS BUT NEW PRICES

"Next July's automobile announcements will be, not of new models, but of new prices—and they'll be higher,' says R. C. Rueschaw, sales manager of the Reo Motor Car Co., in a letter to Kardell Motor Car Co. of St. Louis.

Mr. Rueschaw, who is the oldest sales manager in the automobile industry, has acquired the reputation as a prophet because of the accuracy of predictions he has made from year to year as a result of his long association with the industry and his intimate knowledge of the inside affairs thereof. His statement quoted above will therefore be given more than usual credence by men in and outside of the automobile industry.

"There are many reasons why few, if any, automobile concerns will announce new models at the usual time next July, and there are quite as many reasons why prices will have to be tilted," continued M. Rueschaw.

"First, is the increased cost of materials because of the shortage of many kinds that are absolutely essential to the making of an automobile. Just consider the following, for which George E. Smith, manager of the Purchasing Department of the Reo Motor Car Co., is authority:

"Metals of all kinds have at least doubled in value in the past six months, and in some instances the advances have been much greater, this applying particularly to tool steels. High speed steels have increased in price from 45 cents per pound to $3 and over, and this figure is a nominal one, high speed steel being almost unobtainable; this has affected the cost of tools, made from such steels, to an even greater extent than represented by the advance in the cost of steels, due to large increases in labor costs.

"High speed drills, which we formerly purchased at 65 per cent discount from list, are now priced at list plus 15 per cent, up to one-half inch diameters; above this diameter, they are list plus 30 per cent up to one inch, above which size the price is double the list.

"Cutters, reamers and small tools are now sold on the same basis, and are extremely difficult to secure. We are compelled to buy in small lots from different manufacturers and jobbers wherever we can find a small supply.

"Bar steels, used for making parts of cars, have more than doubled in price, and prices are advancing rapidly, and the scarcity is increasing even more rapidly. Orders placed with the mills in December last are scheduled for delivery in January, 1917."

SEES SHORT DELIVERIES

That this spring will see the greatest shortage of automobiles this country has ever seen is predicted by Henry Rattersman of Jeffery Distributing Co., distributers for St. Louis of Jeffery motor cars.

"Last fall, when business conditions were only fair, there was a big shortage of automobiles. This spring, with business conditions the best they have ever been in this country, the shortage will be far greater than it was last fall.

A few years back it was possible for a manufacturer to increase his output upon very short notice, because the production was simply an average one. This applied not only to the manufacturer of the complete car, but also to the parts maker. This year parts makers compelled their customers to specify a year ahead, no increase over the original order is accepted at present and, consequently, no manufacturer can increase his output beyond his original plans for the season.

Automobile Exchanges

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Through Post-Dispatch Wants

34,176 Post-Dispatch Automobile Want Ads were printed during 1915, 6,283 more than appeared in the FOUR other St. Louis newspapers COMBINED.

PUTS CHANDLER 1916 OUTPUT 20,000 CARS

According to J. D. Perry Lewis of the Lewis Automobile Co., Cleveland, O., holds fast to its faith in the Chandler Six with which it has made such a record for itself in the past three years, and likewise stands pat on its one-chassis policy.

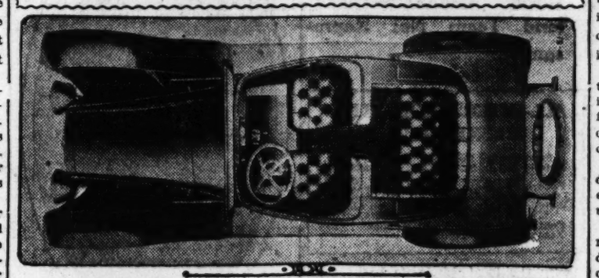
The Chandler is free from any radical changes mechanically, but distinguished by handsome new bodies. All indications point to ready sales of the 20,000-car production for 1916.

The new seven-passenger Chandler touring body is of most graceful lines and very handsomely finished.

The new Chandler four-passenger roadster met with instant approval on all sides. Chandler dealers are more than pleased with it and predict a very heavy sale for it. Other body types shown at this time are a splendid convertible Sedan and Cabriolet.

With factory capacity more than doubled within the past six months and with extremely large resources, developed by a prosperous business during the past year and the recapitalization of the company on a $10,000,000 basis, the Chandler organization has taken its place in the very front ranks of successful American motor car manufacturers.

Unique Seating Arrangement of Chandler Cozy Roadster



ACCESSORY MEN WILL HAVE POSTER NIGHT

The regular meeting of the Motor Accessory Trade Association, March 14, at the Marquette Hotel, is to be treated to a display of automobile and accessory "poster" and advertising novelties. The idea was advanced by President Allan H. Clark and will be carried out by a committee of which A. E. Force of the Fisk Rubber Co. is chairman. Mr. Force wants all members of the association to send him their posters in advance of the meeting, so that they can be posted in the banquet room of the hotel.

During 1915 the Post-Dispatch printed 5360 Classified Instruction Want Ads, a gain of 326, and 3635 more than the four other St. Louis newspapers combined printed during the same period.

WHEN IS A GALLON?

When is a gallon not a gallon? That all depends on the point of view.

It is not a gallon when mentioned by a Canadian in the United States. It is not a gallon when alluded to by a citizen of the U. S. A., temporarily in the Dominion.

This startling fact recently came to light at the Maxwell headquarters in Detroit, in the progress of an effort to reconcile some performance of Maxwell cars in Canada with feats of record in the States.

R. F. Girdwood, Montreal Maxwell distributor, was telling of Maxwell economy as demonstrated by cars under his observation.

They often average around 40 miles to the gallon of gasoline," he declared, "I have myself driven one of them on a trip where we undoubtedly scored better than 44 miles on a run of more than 200."

The man to whom the statement was made was bewildered. He knew that authentic records existed of long trips in which Maxwells had scored averages around 36 and 37 miles to the gallon. Mr. Girdwood's feats were, however, out of line, suggesting road conditions or inflammability of atmosphere altogether unknown south of the Canadian border.

"What do you mean by 'gallon of gasoline'? he asked at random.

"Why, regular Imperial measure gallon, of course," replied Girdwood.

A great light dawned on the factory man. Investigation disclosed that the English gallon, on sale in Canada, is almost 20 per cent larger than the gallon measure provided in the United States. Incidentally, it costs correspondingly more.

With this data it was easily seen that the Maxwell cars in Canada were no more generous in their yield of miles to the gallon than are the Maxwells on which record has been kept in the States.

WEBER RECEIVES TRAIN LOAD OF STUDEBAKERS

The Weber Motor Car Co. local Studebaker distributors has become a "train load" dealer. On March 1 a train load of Studebaker cars of the several models was received. The train consisted of 23 flat cars on which 69 automobiles were loaded under canvas covers.

Another train load of about the same number of automobiles has been ordered forward from the factory and will be received about April 1.

Many of the cars in the shipment received have already been delivered to purchasers and other deliveries are being rapidly made.

STUDEBAKER TO HAVE FULL LINE OF TRUCKS

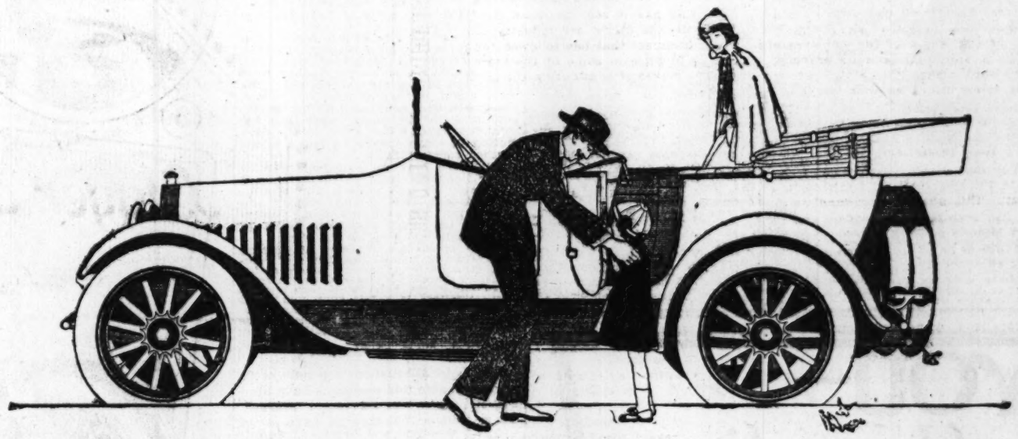
Announcement made of the new one-ton and half-ton Studebaker commercial cars is accompanied by the information that the Studebaker corporation will produce 10,000 of these vehicles during 1916, thus taking a place among the largest builders in the industry of trucks of like capacities.

Three models of the half-ton carrying capacity are announced, and the same number of the one-ton capacity. The half-ton models include the panel delivery car, $875; open express car, $850; station and baggage wagon, $875. One-ton trucks include the open express type, $1200; stake body type, $1250; 16-passenger bus type, $1400.

Quantity production is the rule at the factory because of the big demand for the new trucks that is reported be dealers everywhere.

The new Studebaker models are featured by the fact that they are designed and built primarily for commercial work. They are not adaptations of pleasure car features, but are the result of long tests in actual commercial service preparatory to being placed on the market.

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Uncanny Performance With Canny Thrift: The New 3400 r. p. m. Chalmers

Three years ago automobile manufacturers began cutting their eye teeth on high-speed motors.

The value of high speed in electric motors or steam turbines had long been recognized.

But the application of high-speed principles to gas engines was difficult to achieve with safety.

Now comes the remarkable 3400 r. p. m. Chalmers which develops an engine speed of 3400 revolutions per minute *with absolute safety.*

Chalmers engineers solved the problem of safe, high engine speed by means of strength of materials, small, compact bearing surfaces, and ample lubrication.

They did not translate the speed of this 3400 r. p. m. engine into mere car speed. It is built for the road, not the race-track.

Its high-speed engine, used in connection with a low rear axle gear ratio, achieves a vast range of flexibility that is worth more to the motorist than all the two-mile-a-minute speed on earth.

An engine of might can give you one of two things: great speed, or a wealth of great ease and smoothness—never both.

It did not take Hugh Chalmers long to decide. He knew what American drivers prize beyond all things else.

So he built the principles of supreme acceleration combined with all the necessary might into the absolutely minimum and most compact amount of engine possible.

The result is the 3400 r. p. m. Chalmers at $1050, a blend of ability and strength, fusing uncanny performance with canny thrift—delivering speed up to 60 miles an hour, 18 miles for every gallon of gas, and longevity that will amaze and delight you.

The car is here now, ready to perform for you.

$1050 Detroit

Samuel S. Primm
President,

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Chester-Saxon Auto. Co., Chester, Illinois.
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Dealers write us regarding open territory in Missouri & Illinois

AUTO NEWS and GOSSIP

The Franklin Automobile Co. is temporarily located at 3215 Locust street, awaiting the completion of a new building at 3009 Locust street, in which it will be by May 1.

The annual report of the Studebaker Corporation, dated at South Bend, Ind., shows annual sales for 1915 of $56,539,-000, a gain of $13,094,782 over 1914, or 30 per cent.

The "Packard Monthly" for February, page 1, shows a remarkable picture of President and Mrs. Wilson in a Packard car when in St. Louis recently, with W. J. Parrish, president of the Packard Missouri Motor Co., at the wheel, his face bearing a smile wider than the wheel.

The Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. of Akron is organizing classes in English and Americanism among its alien employes in its big plants.

Howard Wilcox and Don Herr, known in racing circles, have taken the distribution of Case cars for the State of Indiana.

J. L. Bergs, recently territory man for the Studebaker line, is now covering Eastern Missouri and Southern Illinois for the King eight and Empire lines, handled by the Johnson Automobile Co. of St. Louis.

The capitalization of the Scripps-Booth Co. has been increased to a million dollars and Clarence H. Booth has been made president of the new organization.

The Hudson-Phillips Motor Car Co. is advised by the Hudson factory that a new super-six limousine and a handsome town car were shipped to St. Louis March 1, to be shown here.

A Peerless seven-passenger, eight-cylinder car will reach the Park Automobile Co. Monday.

The Johnson Automobile Co. has received a "Challenger" model, 7-passenger King eight-cylinder car. It is being shown at the 3857 Olive street salesrooms.

The entire local sales force of the B. F. Goodrich Co. has been attending a salesmen's convention at the factory at which representatives from all the branches were present.

H. T. Steele, who has been Herff-Brooks' agent locally for a year, has joined the sales force of the Mogul Motor Truck Co. The Union Moving and Storage Co. of Alton, has bought a ton-and-a-half Mogul truck.

Joseph A. Schlecht of the Mound City Buggy and Auto Co., reports sales since Jan. 1, of 188 Allen cars, 6 Halladays and 25 Jacksons.

Announcement is made by the Packard-Missouri Motor Co. that A. J. Lindsay, formerly head of the Lindsay Motor Car Co., has been made secretary of the company.

G. L. Thorpe, late with the Hood tire factory, has been made district representative of the Winton Co., and will have headquarters at 3914 Washington avenue with the Von Arx Automobile Co., local Winton distributors.

The Independent Tire Co. has been incorporated by Israel Riefler, A. Riefler, William Bonnet, William Charlins, for $15,000.

Gorman Bros., local representatives for the Empire tire, are erecting their own building at 3919 Washington avenue, where a complete service station and accessory salesrooms will be installed.

The William A. Smythe Ignition Co. has removed to 3217 Locust street. Mr. Smythe will add several important lines to the present representation.

HOW CADILLAC "8" HELPS COLD WEATHER MOTORS

Every motorist who operates his car in winter knows the annoyance of the "warming up" period which must follow starting the engine after it has stood overnight in a cold garage or for several hours on the street. So the device on the Cadillac Eight which facilitates warming up is of interest to all motorists.

This device exercises a thermostatic control over the fluid in the cooling system and, like many other motor car developments, was inaugurated by the Cadillac company. The thermostats, of which there are two—one for each block of cylinders—operate in connection with valves which open and close as the thermostats expand and contract with heat and cold.

When the engine and radiator are cold the valves are closed and the water in the radiator is practically cut off from that in the water jackets of the cylinders. After the engine is started, the liquid surrounding the cylinder blocks rises in temperature and the thermostat valves open slowly. Without the thermostat, all the liquid in the cooling system would have to be heated before the engine would run well, whereas with the thermostats only a small quantity has to be warmed at the outset, and the thermostat valves admit the water from the radiator as the temperature of the fluid rises.

The device is wholly automatic in its action. It enables the engine to reach its highest efficiency much more quickly than would be possible if it were necessary to heat the entire volume of circulating fluid before that efficiency were obtained.

FORD DENIES RUMOR OF 6-HOUR WORKING DAY

Henry Ford has issued a denial that there has been or will be any change in the hours or wages of the employes of the Ford Motor Co. and its branches.

Mr. Ford makes this statement because irresponsible persons have been disseminating a report that the Ford Motor Co. was to reduce the working hours from eight to six, increase the shifts from three of eight hours each in 24 to four of six hours in 24, and increase the pay to $1 an hour, or to $6 a day. This absolutely groundless rumor has been published widely and the Ford Motor Co., as a consequence, has been flooded with inquiries and has suffered other annoyance.

"There will be no changes whatever in our wages or hours, either at the plant or the branches," says Mr. Ford. "Hours and wages will stand as at present."

NEW LOCAL FISK MANAGER

A. N. Stanley, district manager for the Fisk Rubber Co. announces that Howard Swenson, well known in local tire circles, has been appointed St. Louis manager for the Fisk Rubber Co. Mr. Stanley is in charge of all of the Fisk branches in the St. Louis territory.

MOTOR CAR BECOMES ALL-YEAR VEHICLE

"The excessive rains during the past few weeks do not seem to have made a very great difference in the demand for cars from the outlying territory, and dealers are as insistent for deliveries as ever," said F. W. A. Vesper, president of the Vesper-Buick Auto Co. on his return from an extended trip to Northern distributing centers.

"I find that this condition is not only local, but is general, and that distributers in other large cities are having exactly the same story to tell. It is a fact of course, that a lot of damage has been done by rain but this has been confined to relatively small localities."

"I found the Buick factory at Flint running full up on their schedule, and in fact, in position to build even more cars, were it possible for them to obtain extra materials. The materials contracted for are, of course, being delivered by the material people and as these contracts were on a basis of our production of 60,000, the normal schedule is being maintained, but the increase in production for 1916 over last season is only 33 1-3 per cent, whereas the demand to date has been considerably over 500 per cent, and the advance orders now holding, both by ourselves in St. Louis and by the factory in Flint, are greater than ever before in the history of the Buick company. A large majority of this demand is occasioned by the wonderful reception the public has given the Buick six-cylinder production, but not only this—there is a big demand for all standard cars. This demand is brought about by the excellent crop conditions that prevail in most localities, and the fact that the motor car has already established itself as a necessity, and is not considered in the luxury class any longer. In fact, the biggest proportion of our business comes from a class of people who use the car more for general utility than from a mere pleasure standpoint."

"Orders received, indicate that the demand will continue through the winter, from the fact that most of our dealers have placed orders for shipment during every month of the season, and the old idea of a closed winter season is fast becoming a thing of the past, and it will be but a short time when it will be an all-year round demand, due to the fact that winter cars are being added to all standard lines, and a good healthy demand for them exists."

PRICE, NOT QUALITY DOWN

Interesting has it been to those connected with the motor car industry to note the comment that has followed the reduction in price in some of the more important makes of cars during the last 12 months.

To one who knows the motor car business from the ground up, however, it is clear that a reduction in the price of a motor car does not necessarily have to carry with it a cheapening of the product that detracts either from its performance or durability.

This is the opinion of E. W. Arbogast, of the St. Louis Cole Co. Mr. Arbogast adds:

"Though it must be admitted that the easiest and quickest way to reduce the price of an article, be it a motor car or a shirt waist is to cut down the quality—make it cost you less to manufacture—that's the unscientific way and it leads to disaster.

"The scientific way to go about it is to economize by eliminating all waste energy in the manufacture of the article; to anticipate increased production by placing increased specifications that will entitle one to better prices when purchasing raw material; to exercise greater care in the construction of the article and thus eliminate an actual material waste; to eliminate everything unnecessary in the actual makeup of the article—those frills and furbelows that give neither distinction or individuality to the product, much less add to its permanency or its intrinsic worth.

"The best example of just what can be accomplished with which I am familiar—in fact, of which I know—is the recent reduction in the price of the Cole eight-cylinder motor car, recently announced at a price almost $200 less than that at which it previously sold, and at the same time was advertised as having been improved.

THE SUN IS NOT THE MOON

"Contrary to some reports that have been circulated in certain parts of the Southwest, there is positively no connection between the Sun and the Moon Motor Car Co. of St. Louis," declares James E. Newell, president of the Newell Motor Car Co.

"This impression probably grew out of the fact, that we have advertised the car so extensively that many dealers are of the opinion that the factory is actually located in St. Louis. Then again, the name Sun naturally reminds anyone of the Moon.

"A rather amusing incident occured at the St. Louis show. We had been distributing cards announcing the Sun Light Six. A rather elderly lady picked up one of these cards off the table and after reading it she excitedly exclaimed, that one car was named, 'Moon,' another 'Sun' and there was no use in trying to fool her; the 'mysterious' car must be the 'Star'."

TRAIN LOAD OF BUICKS REACHES ST. LOUIS

The largest shipment of motor cars that has ever reached St. Louis was a train load consigned to the Vesper Buick Automobile Co., which reached here Thursday. There were 26 railroad cars in the special train via the Wabash, carrying 83 Buick cars of several models. The shipment arrived in the midst of a heavy snowstorm, and the parade which had been arranged was abandoned and the cars taken to the sales and storage rooms on Locust street by the shortest route from the Wabash tracks at Third street and Franklin avenue. The cars will be distributed in St. Louis by H. G. Hurd, local agent, and through the immediate territory controlled by the Vesper-Buick Automobile Co., the consignees. Thirty-five drivers were used to get the cars to the warehouse.

GRUELLING TEST FOR HUDSON SUPER SIX

Mr. J. H. Phillips, president of the Hudson-Phillips Motor Car Co., local dealers of the Hudson, has just received a telegram from H. O. Arnold, Hudson distributor of Southern California, of how the new Hudson "Super-Six" negotiated one of the most difficult roads in that section of the country, under the worst possible condition. The telegram reads:

"Every bridge broken between here and San Diego, distance 200 miles. We made the trip in 10 hours. Never before in history roads such awful condition. Never in annals of motoring any car subjected to such severe test. It was greatest victory ever gained in an automobile test and was most strenuous motor achievement of all time. No one can realize this unless acquainted with road. Car compelled to plow over washed out roads, bridgeless arryos and quicksand washes and flooded areas. Met at San Diego by great throng of spectators."

"This," said Phillips, "is beyond doubt the most sensational feat of the many wonderful performances reported of the 'Super-Six.'"

NEW OVERLAND RECORD

It seems to be quite the thing to break records around the big Willys-Overland plant these days.

Record daily shipments were recorded the past two weeks and now comes the news that on Feb. 11 the number of February cars actually shipped exceeded the total shipments of the entire month of February of last year by more than 500 cars.

Last year's February shipments of 5627 Overland and Willys-Knight cars was considered phenomenal at the time especially in view of the fact that all cars were shipped to dealers through the winter season—no storage facilities being provided at the factory.

With the occupation of an immense factory addition containing 600,000 square feet of floor space and devoted entirely to the production of the new popular priced model 75 selling at $615, and with a new addition that is to be even larger nearing completion, the production is rapidly being rushed toward the factory capacity of 1000 cars a day.

VICTORIES OF 1915.

A complete list of important 1915 automobile races put into booklet form under the title, "Conclusively Convincing," gives an interesting and graphic idea of the remarkable advance made in motor car speeds during the past season. The Phoenix Auto Supply Co. has the booklet.

The review, a compilation by the Bosch Magneto Co. of New York is most acceptable in that it gives a wealth of interesting information. Under each race is listed the name of the winning car, the name of the driver, the distance of the race and the average miles per hour. The schedule comprises 26 events which include every worth-while race of the season.

Suppose a glance is given the achievements of the cars equipped with certain accessories. See if some valuable information and facts are not evident; facts that will aid in selecting a car. Take ignition, for instance, the official records of 1915 show that all important contests of the year were won by cars using magneto ignition, and practically every car entered also used a magneto. Magneto ignition was not and is not used only because that type of ignition is faster or more alive to the sudden demands of the driver, but because that type of ignition has continuously proved thoroughly reliable.

THE NEW LIBERTY CAR

What style of car will be placed upon the market by the Liberty Motor Car Co. of Detroit? This organization recently took over the great R-C-H plant and is preparing to build a car, but withholds strictly all information with regard to the product of the company.

The prominence of the men whose names have been made public in connection with this company has already given great prominence to the Liberty company.

Percy Owen, president and general manager; James F. Bourquin, vice president; H. M. Wirth, secretary, treasurer and purchasing agent, and R. E. Cole, chief engineer, are all well known in the business.

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WILL PRODUCE FOURS

Rumors that the Olds Motor Works would curtail the production of its celebrated overhead valve four-cylinder model, because of the tremendous popular reception accorded its new eight, have been branded as untrue by officials of the company.

"As long as a demand for our four-cylinder cars exists," states Jay V. Hall, general sales manager of the concern, "we shall continue to manufacture it. Our four has proved itself so serviceable and dependable under any and all conditions, as well as stylish and economical, that there are still many people who would like to own one. Naturally, we are not going to disappoint these enthusiasts."

Meanwhile, however, the production facilities of the great Olds plant, now equal in volume to the largest in the United States, are being turned over to the manufacture of eight-cylinder cars to a greater and greater degree. The eight is the car of the future, officials of the company say.

HELPING MAKE CITIZENS

The Packard Motor Car Co. has announced that it will pay the fees required of any of its alien employes who may desire to take out first papers toward American citizenship. This follows the announcement made Jan. 31 to the effect that only American citizens or those of foreign birth who have relinquished their foreign citizenship and who have filed their applications for citizenship, will be given promotions to positions of importance, and that loyalty to the United States is a pre-requisite to employment.

RETIRING DIRECTORS MEET

The automobile newspaper men of St. Louis were entertained at an informal dinner at the Planters Hotel Friday by the retiring members of the board of directors of the St. Louis Automobile Manufacturers and Dealers' Association. The directors present were President Samuel Breadon, H. B. Krenning of the Dorris Motor Car Co., Joseph A. Schlecht, of the Mound City Buggy and Auto Co., J. D. Perry Lewis of the Lewis Auto Co., Milton B. Strauss of the Detroit Electric Car Co., and Secretary Harden.

TRAVELS LIKE A PINTO

Here is a point in the conservation of energy: A cowboy was arrested for "loping" his pinto down the main thoroughfare of a Middle Western city. An automobile man chanced to see the arrest and followed the case to court. When asked why he urged his steed to such haste, the cowboy replied:

"Because it's easier for the pinto to go fast than slow." And the automobile man paid his fine.

"The reason I did it," he explained, "is this. I had heard that a certain motor car travels 50 miles an hour with less effort than other cars travel at 30 miles. I wondered why until I heard that cowboy's explanation. Now I know that the pinto could travel at a lope easier than he could walk, not because all pintos can do it, but because THIS ONE could do it."

The car is the Marmon "34" and the reason is lynite aluminum parts in the engine and lynite replacement of iron parts in the body, obtaining a weight reduction of 1000 pounds.

NEW ACCESSORY BRANCH

The Geller, Ward & Hassner Hardware Co. has opened an automobile accessory and supply branch house at 3328 Clive street. The branch will become the local agent for Hood tires for Missouri and Illinois and will handle a full line of accessories and J.-M. brake linings, K. P. piston rings and Acme batteries. A. G. Whittaker, who has been connected with the local automobile trade for a number of years will be in charge of the branch.

POLICE ARE "DODGED"

The Police Department of Rochester, N. Y., after a number of comparative tests, purchased six Dodge Brothers cars for the use of the department and the number is to be increased later on. The cars are in service 24 hours each day, with three shifts of drivers. They are used in answering hurry calls.

Three Miles Of Autos,

HORSES AND VEHICLES, if they were arranged in a procession, are advertised in today's big REAL ESTATE AND WANT DIRECTORY.

TRAIN LOAD OF DEALERS

A big, special train, made up entirely of Pullman coaches, dining and buffet cars, which pulled out of Minneapolis early Wednesday with 143 Overland dealers on board, arrived in Toledo, O., early Thursday morning.

These men, with F. N. Coats, manager of the Overland Minneapolis sales zone, in charge of the dealers' special, are from different parts of the Northwest in which their respective territories are located. They come to the home of the Overland as guests of John N. Willys, president of the Willys-Overland company.

Realizing that it is enthusiasm which moves such an enormous production of automobiles as the Overland, and that this force can best be fostered in the breast of every man by a visit to the Overland factory, the officials of the Willys-Overland Co. chartered a special train to bring this small army of dealers to the great plant in Toledo, where Overland cars are manufactured.

NEW JEFFERY-ENGER HOME

The Jeffery Distributing Co. and the Enger Auto and Supply Co. will remove by March 15 to the new building at 2638 Locust street. Henry Rottersmann gives as the reason for the removal the acute necessity for more room for display and service. The company handles the Jeffery and the Enger lines in St. Louis territory.



THE Okay Portable Garage

Fireproof and burglar-proof. Sightly, serviceable, convenient. Will rent, partial payment or sell for cash. Phone Grand 915 or Victor 1215 for literature or salesman. Manufactured in St. Louis.

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Winter Top removable $1165 Summer Top included

The first custom-built enclosed coach to sell below $2000

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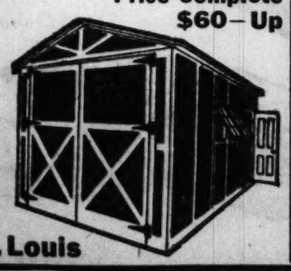
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Price Complete $60—Up



Nothing More to Buy

The finish is brown stain and white, painted trimmings. Can be repainted any color desired. Prices range from $46.00 and upward. Each garage complete. There is nothing more to buy.

Before buying a garage, hen house or any other portable house, you should know why Miller offers the biggest values.

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Miller Mfg. Co., St. Louis

The Standardized Car



NOTABLE ADVANCEMENTS Further Distinguish this Proved Eight

Sweeping through motor shows, before boards of engineers and juries of critical users, the improved Cole 8 has called forth remarkable demonstrations of approval and admiration. Our sales since the announcement of this model have increased 300 per cent. over those of any other similar period in the history of our business.

See the Model 860 Cole 8 at Our Salesroom Open Today

Throughout the length and breadth of motordom the call of the Cole 8 is stirring the desires of thousands. Though we have doubled our production we know we will be able to serve only a fraction of those who look forward to driving an improved Cole 8 this year.

THE new achievements in the design and construction of the Cole 8—coming on top of a whole year of wonderful performance for thousands of owners—have established a record in motor car engineering. The *new edition* outdoes previous Cole 8 triumphs at $190 less—or $1595 f. o. b. factory—a wonder price for a matchless car.

A higher standard has been set by the standardized car popularized in price—with so many vital improvements that they obviate comparison in the minds of keen judges.

Greater power with lighter weight—greater economy with more unusual operation—greater performance with less upkeep and less depreciation—are provided in the improved Cole 8 at $500 less than you'd expect to pay.

A Greater Money Value

Mark the *many* innovative features—the results of seven years of Cole engineering progress—which are provided at a lower price in a bigger and better car—

Counterbalanced crankshaft with aluminum pistons in the powerful seventy horsepower motor; longer and stronger semi-elliptic springs and an improved direct drive; longer and roomier tonneau; larger full-floating rear axle with oversize roller bearings; heat treated front axle with ball bearings in the steering knuckle; deeper, new design frame, with full six-inch channel; striking new body with center wave effect and completely concealed auxiliary seats.

With strength and speed for the man, easy control and luxury for the woman, and its glorious bounty of pleasure for the kiddies, the improved Cole 8 meets every test of Refinement, Convenience and Durability.

The triumph of economy! See it! Know it! Ride in the Cole 8. You'll realize the futility of paying more or less than

$1595 F. O. B. Factory

which gives you the Model 860 Cole 8—the Standardized Car—the proved Eight, with the notable advancements that further distinguish it as the car of the hour.

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NEWS AND FEATURES OF THE

POULTRY WORLD

MISSOURI POULTRY OFFICIALS PLAN 4 SHOW DISTRICTS

State Association Secretary Reports Nearly 1000 Members Enrolled Since Jan. 1.

The Missouri State Poultry Association is showing conspicuous growth, there having been an addition of nearly 1000 members since Jan. 1, according to a statement by Secretary Fred Crosby.

Just now special efforts are being made to systematize and develop the annual displays by local associations, which is being directed by the Association of Show Officials, organized during the December show of the State Poultry Association at Joplin, with these officers: Dr. L. D. LeGear, Kirkwood, president; Dr. W. M. Moberly, Southwest City, vice president; Fred Crosby, Mountain Grove, secretary. A letter recently sent out to the officials of local associations suggests a division of the State into districts for their consideration and approval or disapproval, as may be, to the end that a perfected system may be obtained. The local officials are also asked to submit the names of persons for the office of district vice president. The proposed districts are:

Southwest District—McDonald, Newton, Jasper, Barton, Vernon, Bates, Cass, Barry, Lawrence, Dade, Cedar, St. Clair, Henry, Benton, Johnson, Pettis, Hickory, Polk, Green, Stone, Christian, Taney, Ozark, Douglas, Webster, Wright, Laclede, Camden, Morgan, Dallas—30 counties, 23 shows; seven counties without shows; Joplin and Springfield cities.

Southeast District—Howell, Texas, Oregon, Shannon, Ripley, Carter, Reynolds, Butler, Wayne, Dunklin, Stoddard, Bollinger, New Madrid, Scott, Mississippi, Cape Girardeau, Perry, Madison, Dent, St. Francois, Ste. Genevieve, Washington, Crawford, Phelps, Pulaski, Jefferson, Maries, Miller, Gasconade, Franklin, St. Louis, Osage. Thirty-three counties, 19 shows, 15 counties without shows; St. Louis and Poplar Bluff, cities.

Northeast District—St. Charles, Warren, Montgomery, Pike, Adrian, Gallaway, Boone, Moniteau, Cooper, Cole, Howard, Monroe, Randolph, Marion, Shelby, Lewis, Knox, Clark, Scotland, Macon, Adair, Schuyler, Charlton, Linn, Sullivan, Putnam, Lincoln, Ralls—28 counties, 21 shows; 10 counties without shows; Columbia, Mexico, Boonville, Macon, Jefferson City, cities.

Northwest District—Jackson, Lafayette, Saline, Carroll, Livingston, Grundy, Mercer, Harrison, Davies, Caldwell, Ray, Clay, Clinton, De Kalb, Gentry, Worth, Nodaway, Andrew, Buchanan, Platte, Holt, Atchison. Twenty-two counties, 22 shows; six counties without shows; Kansas City and St. Joseph, cities.

Male Bird Whose Appearance Is Suggestive of Royalty



White Wyandotte cock, bred by the Evergreen Nursery, Tacoma, Wash.

Keep a careful record of your flock the year round. It is the only way to find out how much they are earning for you. Always charge yourself with all the eggs and fowls used in your own kitchen; otherwise your record will not be accurate.

Keep a sharp lookout for rats and cats. Don't grow chicks to feed four-legged thieves.

Double Mating for Best Barred Rocks

I believe that in order to produce the best results in breeding Barred Rocks the fancier must use birds of one color for producing the best males and birds of a quite different color for producing the best females. This makes the breeding of the highest class of Barred Rocks difficult.

I know that some breeders stuck to the single-mating system for years and finally gave it up. One of these is Dr. Heimlich of Jacksonville, Ill., a judge of wide reputation.

The double-mating system in Barred Rocks means that in order to secure the marking in a male bird you must mate a male bird of the proper or "standard" color with females that are darker. They should be as clearly and regularly barred as possible, but they are birds that you would say were too dark for Barred Rocks. They look almost black sometimes.

In the production of standard females you must take females of the standard of exhibition color and mate with them a male bird several shades lighter than the true exhibition color. Such a bird as this sometimes has an almost washed out appearance.

It is important that the fancier not merely mate birds of the colors indicated, but he must also know that the male at the head of the pen is himself bred from an ancestry of that kind.

Females that are dark and are mated with a male for the production of high-grade males are said to be cockerel breeding females. A male bird that is light in color and mated to females to produce the proper color females is called a pullet-mating cockerel.

One reason given for this is that the ancestors of the Barred Rocks are a composite variety from various sources and from birds of different colors, and that in breeding the birds tend to revert to their ancestry a great ways back.

The double-mating system is used in other varieties as well, especially in these where the male and female differ widely in color. Most breeders of Brown Leghorns use the double system of mating for the production of females especially. They will use a male bird that is not a high-class exhibition male, and whose color in some degree approaches the female color.

One of the best Barred Rock breeders in the country breeds only in the so-called pullet line. His females are exceedingly fine and his males are good in shape and size, but are light in color and are not exhibition birds.

Buttermilk mixed with ground foods will tone up the appetites of the fowls in the fattening pens.

Expert Tells How to Build Laying Quality

High laying records made in the various contests must approach the 300 mark before attracting attention in this day of specialized breeding for egg production. Records of 250 to 275 eggs a year are common.

From the fact that the average poultryman looks upon 200 eggs a year as nothing unusual one would think that record near the average for ordinary flocks, but it is a long way from it. The ordinary flock of hens averages about 80 eggs per hen per year, and this advance is not nearly so marked as in the case of breeders who have made a specialty of developing laying quality.

In this connection Prof. James E. Rice makes some observations on laying ability in hens and how to secure and improve it, that should prove of value to every poultry raiser who is striving to build up a laying flock. Prof. Rice is the head of the poultry department at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.

High egg production, he says, unfailingly results from mating 2 and 3 year old hens, of proven high egg-producing powers, to males which are known to have transmitted high egg-laying characteristics to their offspring. Breed only the most vigorous birds.

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Leghorns should lay at seven to eight months and heavier breeds a month or six weeks later.

Pullets hatched too early moult in August and get caught by cold weather, and fail to lay all winter. If hatched later than early May they fail to grow their full plumage by fall and do not lay during the winter.

Poultry Paragraphs.

It will pay to trap-set your hens and keep a record of what each one is doing for the egg basket. This is a sure way to weed out the drones.

To get the most out of your flocks you must adopt present-day methods, so as to be on an even footing with your competitor.

Avoid feeding chicks food that has been in stock so long that it is moldy. It is bound to cause much trouble.

Keep the chicks growing. If there is any drooping in the wings and they are sitting around, look them over carefully; they may be troubled with lice.

For egg-production, pullets are the money-makers in a poultry plant; hence, they should receive every attention from the poultry raiser.

Kansan Tells How to Make Pigeons Pay

Frank Hucht of Burns, Kan., has been caring for 600 pairs of pigeons, besides marketing their squabs. He has recently completed a building with a capacity of 1000 pairs of birds.

Three varieties of pigeons are kept, Homers, Carneaux and White Kings. The Homers are a little smaller than the others, but probably they rear a few more squabs. Carneaux and White Kings produce squabs that will weigh about 12 pounds to the dozen. These are sold for as much as $6 a dozen. The squabs from Homers average from 8 to 10 pounds a dozen and sell for about $4 a dozen.

Hucht figures that he gets an average of about seven pairs a year from each pair of old birds. At the present prices of feed it costs him $1.25 a year to feed an old pair and rear 14 squabs to market size.

Hucht finds it more economical to give the birds two feeds a day, letting them have only what will be cleaned up, rather than to use self-feeders. Grit, oyster shell and clean water must be where the pigeons can get to them at all times. Kafir is the principal grain fed in this plant. The morning feed for 1200 working birds is one-half bushel of kafir, one peck of wheat, six quarts of shelled peanuts and six quarts of wild grass seed. About the same quantity of feed is given at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. In the winter the afternoon feed is whole corn; in the summer it is kafir. Some rice is fed once a week. A feed of green alfalfa is given occasionally in the summer.

It takes only four weeks to grow a squab that weighs almost as much as a grown bird. After the old birds get settled down to work they keep two nests going.

A squab is ready to market when it is ready to get out of the nest. If it is kept a few days too long it will injure the quality of its meat through exercise. It also will lose a lot of weight in the first few days out of the nest.

Squabs are killed in the same way that you would stick a chicken, dry picked and packed in candy buckets in ice. A layer of fine ice is put in the bottom of the bucket, then a layer of squabs, another layer of ice and then more squabs. Some larger chunks of ice are put in the top.

Hucht has very little trouble with sickness in his flocks. Canker is about the worst thing to contend with and he cures that by putting a pinch of Venetian red in the throat of the affected bird. To guard against rats he has lined the underside of all floors in the building.

Ax as Final Cure for Egg-Eating Hens

Egg eating among poultry usually is the result of the birds' appetite for something they are not getting in their feed. Most often, perhaps, the thing lacking is lime, the shell-forming material. Unless provided by giving the flock oyster shells or similar material, confined birds in winter will not get enough lime, hence their greater desire for it, which induces their pecking at the eggs or any other object that promises to supply the deficiency.

Once a hen has broken an egg and gotten a taste of it the chances are she will acquire the habit, and then it no longer is a matter of deficient food elements. A very common way of teaching birds this habit is the practice of throwing egg shells from the kitchen out to them. If the shells are fed at all it is best to crush and mix them with the dry mash or some other food mixture, so as to hide their identity.

There are many feeds that contain the mineral elements needed by birds, which they crave and try to find in the shells of eggs and their contents. Besides grit and lime, see that the flock has access to a sufficient supply of protein-content foods. Bran, middlings, meat, milk, alfalfa leaves, vegetables, sprouted grains are all valuable in furnishing these needed elements, both in protein, minerals and succulent foods. Another means of discouraging egg eating is to have plenty of attractive nests at least two feet off the floor, and have them darkened and in secluded places.

Once the egg-eating habit is started there are various schemes to break it up. Some poultry keepers secure a number of porcelain imitation eggs and place them in the quarters where the hens may pick at them until they are tired. Another good discourager is made by blowing out the contents of an egg through a small hole in each end, then fill the shell with a mixture containing a good proportion of mustard, pepper or other disagreeable ingredients. Very often a hen will become such a confirmed egg eater that neither of these devices will cure. Then the only recourse is the ax. Such a hen is a menace, not only because of the eggs destroyed, but because she will teach the habit to the rest of the flock.

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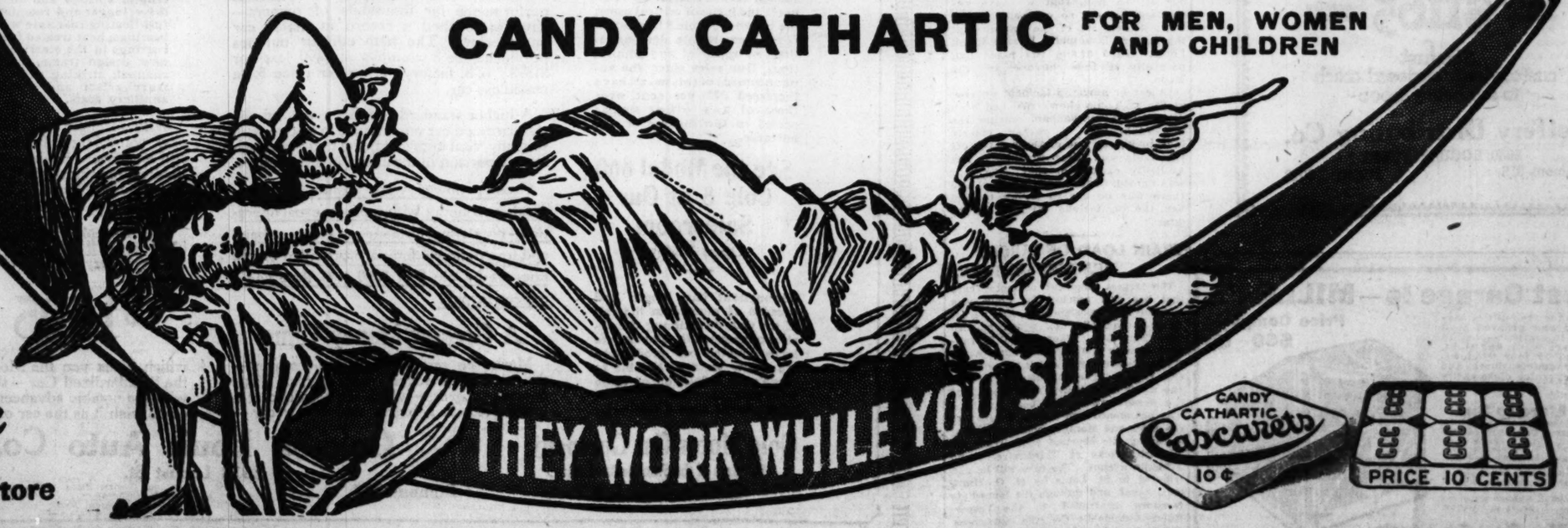


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Can I raise chicks a day old when bought, in a cellar during the spring and summer without a brooder The cellar has a granitoid floor and a hot-air furnace. How much heat does it require?—I., St Louis.

Your question seems on its surface to be an easy one, but it really is not. You can do what you suggest, but I think that you will find it difficult. So much depends upon the personal element in the matter. Some people are naturally good "caretakers" and others are not. About the most successful man in raising chicks that I ever knew never used an artificial brooder. He hatched his chicks and then raised them without artificial heat. At night he kept them in a box. When the nights were cool he kept them in the kitchen. I have a neighbor who does this. Both of these men can do it. Others have tried it and failed. Both of these men claim that they can beat any old hen that ever lived in raising chicks. Whether your cellar is dry or not, I do not know. Perhaps it would not be possible to keep it dry, especially the floor. You must have this cellar dry and you must have the air pure without having it drafty. There is no precise amount of heat required by the chicks, but for a time they must have access, when they want it, to considerable warmth For a while they should be placed in the cellar with the temperature in places from 85 to 90 degrees. I believe for a time you will need to put these chicks in a box at night, so as to give them extra warmth, but it is difficult to lay down precise rules without knowing the exact situation. I think I have indicated some of the conditions that you must establish for the chicks. As for the rest, as I have said, much would depend upon the personal element and upon you as a natural caretaker.

Keeping Eggs for Hatching.

I have 11 select White Leghorn pullets ten months old that have been laying for three months. I am breeding them with a two-year-old cock bird. Do you think that is advisable? I am thinking of buying a 160-egg incubator and putting the eggs from these pullets in it. As they are averaging about seven eggs a day it will take me 23 days to fill the incubator. Is that too long to keep the eggs? How shall I keep them as to temperature? How often should I turn them, etc.?—G. D., St. Louis.

Your plan of mating these pullets with the two-year-old cock bird is all right. Perhaps now that the weather will be warming up, you may get more than seven eggs per day. Most of the eggs under right conditions would hatch after three weeks, but I shouldn't advise keeping them that long. It is well to remember that an egg begins to deteriorate from the very hour that it was laid. The sooner the better, is a good rule when it comes to incubating eggs, but you can keep them very safely and satisfactorily for as much as two weeks. I should keep them in a cool comparatively dry place, with the temperature at from 50 to 60 degrees and should turn them over daily.

Feather Eating.

I have about a dozen and a half chickens. They pick the feathers off each other and eat them. Can you suggest a remedy?—M. D., St. Louis.

Are you sure that all the birds are doing this? Perhaps there are only one or two offenders. If you can find which ones they are, you can separate them. Sometimes it is easy to break up this habit and sometimes it is not. It usually starts from some fault in feeding. As a rule birds when they pick each other's feathers are not getting enough meat. Perhaps you are feeding a too exclusive grain diet. I should feed meat and other green stuff in some attractive form pretty heavily for a good while. It will pay under these circumstances to buy cheap meat from the butcher and chop it up fine. That alone will sometimes break up this habit and sometimes it will not, but it is the best remedy aside from separating the actual offenders from the rest of the flock. In addition to meat and vegetables, I should give the birds plenty of grit, oyster shell and charcoal. The habit is likely to be worse during confinement. I think if you will follow the feeding system I have outlined, you will not have trouble after the birds get out of doors in warmer weather.

"City Man" Becomes State Poultry Chief

Few poultry raising authorities of the Middle West are better or more favorably known than W. E. Caplon of Trinidad, Colo., a city man who got a bad case of the "chicken fever." He was clerk in a store and had never raised chickens, but bought some empty shipping boxes, made a comfortable poultry shelter, and bought two dozen good-looking hens and some feed for them. At the beginning of the summer most of the hens stopped laying. Vaplon kept an accurate account of the cost of feed and of the value of the eggs when laid. When the hens stopped laying he added up his figures and found that the feed cost considerably more than the eggs were worth. He killed the hens one at a time for food purposes.

Vaplon then went to a farmer's wife, who seemed to be making a success with chickens and got all the information he could. He found several causes which helped to make his trial with poultry a failure. Chief among these was that the hens he bought were old ones. The next fall he bought a dozen early hatched pullets and as many yearling hens from farm flocks that were the most profitable. With these he made a small profit the following season. The third year he was able to make a better profit, and then he bought a few pure-bred fowls. A rigid system of culling was followed and gradually a flock of pure-bred fowls was developed that were money makers. Each year Vaplon increased his average net profit per hen until a large flock of pure-breds averaged $4 a year per hen above cost of feed.

At this time the Colorado Agricultural College obtained an appropriation to establish a poultry department and the Board of Control engaged Vaplon as instructor. He spent three years as head of the department, reached the limit of development with the available funds and it was thought that he could accomplish more for the poultry industry of the State by taking up extension work among boys and girls in all the schools, and he now has charge of the boys' and girls' club work that the college is conducting throughout the State.

Prof. Vaplon has always insisted on large production and low cost of equipment and operation. He insists that, including cost of labor, a poultry house must not cost more than $1 a hen for the flock that it will shelter. He makes the feeding and watering devices from old boxes or cans that can be obtained for little or nothing.

Get Poultry Results by Culling Flock

Farm poultry profits can be made larger by promptly getting rid of stock as soon as it ceases to be productive. All mature males ought to be out of the way by this time, and steps should be taken now to cull and sell unproductive hens.

As a rule, it does not pay to keep hens longer than two years for egg production, but no certain means is known for determining whether a hen is a low producer until she has had a chance to make a record. However, most of the low producers can be identified by following these suggestions from the poultry department of the Iowa State College:

1. All fowls that do not have bright red combs should be culled out. Dark colored, shrunken combs indicate both a lack of vigor and low egg production.

2. Rapid, early molting, together with a general well-finished appearance during the late summer and fall, are signs of a poor layer. The best layers generally molt late and much more slowly than poor layers and their old feathers are worn and ragged.

3. In breeds which, like the leghorns, have white ear lobes, the presence of creamy coloring matter in the lobes is the mark of a poor layer. The yellow matter in the ear lobes, as well as that which gives the yellow color to beak, legs and toes, is the same kind of coloring matter as that which goes into the yolk of an egg. The best layers give up this matter to the eggs they lay.

4. Unproductive hens belonging to the yellow-legged varieties can be detected also by watching the coloring matter of the beak, legs and toes. Those which go through the season with the loss of the least yellow color in these parts are almost always the poorest layers.

Woman's Prize Story on Raising Broilers

Mrs. Edwin Alphono of Missouri was awarded a $5 prize in January by Farm News for the following article, as the best received during the month on a subject pertaining to poultry raising:

I use incubators for hatching. I have overcome their only fault, namely, chicks drying and dying in the shell. I think my plan will be a great help to anyone using an incubator.

Three days before the chicks hatch I take the tray of eggs and dip them in a tank of warm water. I do this for three days. Then I take five tall cups, fill them with warm water, set one in each corner and one in the middle of the incubator under the tray. I do not open the doors again until the chicks are hatched and one day old. They are very wet, but soon dry off.

Another thing about incubator chicks: A great deal of bowel trouble is caused by letting them get chilled during the first few days. I have the brooders extra warm for a week before they are used, and after the chicks are placed in them let them get gradually cooler. I raise hundreds of little chicks every year to the broiler age. I commence setting in November, and keep it up until late in the summer. They are large enough to ship in six weeks or two months. I get from 30 to 60 cents a pound, shipped alive to St. Louis. I have purebred S. C. Rhode Island Reds. They can't be beaten in my estimation, for quick maturing. I use an upstairs room in winter and keep a fire in it, besides the brooder fire.

Several years ago I had a mostly experience with cholera among my old chickens. I lost more than 600. I tried everything, and finally stumbled onto a good remedy. I gave each fowl one tablespoonful of linseed oil once a day until they were cured. It is the only remedy I use now, and it has been very satisfactory with me. For leg weakness and roup I use vaseline externally.

I think it such a comfort to raise chicks in brooders! No lice to bother with, and so easy to keep clean. I change the litter every day, and give the chicks one feed each day of commercial chick food, so they will scratch for it the rest of the day. The rest of the day they get a crumbly mash of cornmeal, wheat, bloodmeal and a little chopped onion, mixed with either sour milk or buttermilk. I have not lost a chick from bowel trouble, and they grow very fast. I avoid extreme changes in temperature, and, of course, keep everything dry.

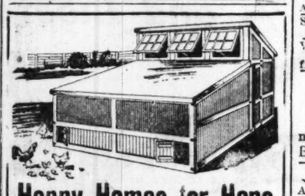
I trapnest, and keep only the best layers. The culls are eaten, or shipped along with the roosters, for they are "swatted" from the flock as soon as the breeding season is over. For green food in winter I use onions, turnips, beets, etc. These roots are chopped fine and few raw. It is very nice to carry in baskets of nice, fresh eggs, but my main money crop comes from the sale of broilers.

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COCKERELS—For sale; 2 single comb rhode island reds. 4235 Florissant.
COCKERELS—For sale; barred plymouth rock, Hollicks, 1st pen, 3422 Easton.
COCKEREL—For sale; s. c. r. i. red; cheap; also eggs for hatching. 3405 Itaska st.
COCKERELS—For sale; r. c. rhode island red, $1.50 up. 4330 Gannett.
COCKEREL—For sale, barred rock, $2; also eggs. 4316 S. Compton.
COCKERELS—For sale; black minorca; also eggs for setting. Dr. Henck, 3512 N. 14th.
COCKERELS—For sale; choice barred rock. Holloway, 1925 Midland. Tudor Place.
COCKERELS—For sale, s. c. white leghorns 2806 Marcus av.
COCKERELS—For sale, single comb brown leghorn. 3929 Cote Brilliante.
COCKERELS—For sale, 10 s. c. r.; vigor, type and size. 3616 Cleveland.
COCKERELS—For sale, thoroughbred buff rock; eggs, $1. J. G. Hoity, 522 Sunnyside, Webster Groves.
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DUCKS—For sale, Indian runner; also two incubators; reasonable; rhode island red hens. 4436 North Market.
DUCKS—For sale, genuine wild mallard ducks, $3.50 per pair; eggs for hatching $2.50 per 13. Billy Mueller, Jefferson City, Mo. (99)
DUCK EGGS—For sale, for hatching; prize winning fawn and white runners, 8c each. Sincere Duck Farm, 9000 Gravois. Nursery, Mo.; Cherokee, car.
DUCK EGGS—For sale, pure white Indian runners, $2.50 setting, fawn white, $1 setting. Hilkes Poultry Farm, 6149 Page, Both phones.
EGGS—For sale; silver faced black spanish. 4379 Donovan.
EGGS—For sale, barred plymouth rock, $1 setting $6 100. 6329 Elm, Wellston.
EGGS—For sale, s. c. r. i. red hatching eggs, 75c for 15. 2131 Geyer.
EGGS—For sale; mature stock, heavy layers; $5 per 100. 7403 Lohmeyer av., Maplewood.
EGGS—For sale, from genuine single brown leghorns, $1 setting of 15. 6158 Cable.
EGGS—For sale, black minorcas, setting 65c; fresh and fertile. 2810 Burd av.
EGGS—For sale, white leghorn eggs, $4 a hundred; cockerels, $1. 1621 Semple.
EGGS—Theo. Roberts' quality first s. c. buff leghorns, 15 eggs, $1.50. Hoxie, Ark.
EGGS—For sale, ancona, 75c per setting. 522 N. 14th st., East St. Louis, Ill.
EGGS—For sale, for hatching; small-comb white leghorns, 60c for 15. 6035 Wise av.

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FOR SALE

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EGGS—For sale; single-comb rhode island red, 15 for 60c, 1291 Delaware.
EGGS—For sale; s. c. w. leghorn, for hatching, $1 per 15. 2806 Marcus av.
EGGS—For sale, rhode island red, for hatching; reasonable, 2820 Union. (c)
EGGS—For sale; rhode island red; 75c setting. Sidney 4647R. 1211 Portis. (c)
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EGGS—For sale, buff orpington and s. c. rhode island red eggs for hatching, $1 for 15. 4132 Carter; Center 9137J.
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EGGS—Single-comb white leghorn hatching eggs, $4 per 100. Harrison Knapp, Hindsboro, Ill. (99)
EGGS—For sale, Thompson's imperial ringlet barred rocks, direct, 15 for $1.50. 3736 Hebert. (c99)
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EGGS—For sale; buff rocks; $1.50 per setting of 15; fertility guaranteed. Franz Stodgrass, Troy, Ill.
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EGGS—For sale; Thompson strain of barred rocks, $1.50 per 15, $6 for $2.50. Mrs. Elizabeth Raber, Troy, Ill. (99)
EGGS—For sale; white wyandotte, for hatching, $1 setting; fine winter layers. Benton 5144W. 6001 Ellmore, Clifton Heights.
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EGGS—For sale, for hatching, prize winning single-comb rhode island reds, $1 setting, $4 100. 4332 Forest Park bl. Lindell 2175R. (c99)
EGGS—For sale, s. c. red eggs from fine layers. Otto Zimmermann Jr., 5415 Michigan. (c)
EGGS—For sale; rose comb brown and buff leghorns; cockerels, roosters, Voight, 4273 Wyoming.
EGGS—From my trap-nested laying strain of barred rocks, $1 and $1.50 per setting. H. W. Wiebrock, 2033 Switzer av., Jennings, Mo.
EGGS—For sale; for hatching; small-comb black minorca, $1 and $1.50 setting; high-bred stock. 4006 St. Ferdinand.
EGGS—For sale; best orpington, $1.25 and $1.50 a setting of 15, delivered. Bush, 7627 Manchester.
EGGS—For sale; buttercup and houdans, choice matings; heavy layers. $2 per setting. Adam, 7121 Marie.
EGGS—For sale; rose comb reds, $1 per setting. Fillmore, 4222 Nebraska; both phones. (c)
EGGS—For sale; genuine mallard duck, $1 per setting; call 1928 Burd or phone Delmar 5310L. (c)
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EGGS—For sale, thoroughbred silver-laced wyandottes, show record; fertility guaranteed; reasonable. 4530 Easton.
EGGS—For sale; barred rock, Bradley strain, s. c. white leghorns, $1 for 15. 2724 Mc-Causland av. Hennessy, 1258R. (c)
EGGS—For sale; fine, silver wyandotte, for setting, trap nested all season, $1 per setting, 2001 Shenandoah.
EGGS—For sale; Indian runner drake, $1.50 per setting; also cock and cockerels. 2357 E. Union.
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EGGS—For sale, from fine partridge rock, $1 per setting, $6.50 for 100 eggs. H. Feldman, 1822 Gregory.
EGGS—For sale; pure bred s. c. rhode island reds; fine, large, healthy farm stock; any quantity. A. Meister, 6000 Gravois av.
EGGS—For sale, for hatching; single-comb rhode island reds, also barred plymouth rocks, 5c each. 5255 Grace av.
EGGS—For sale, hatching eggs, s. c. b. leghorns, 270-egg strain, prize-winning stock; also buff orpingtons, $1 per 15 eggs. 7409 Page.
EGGS—For sale; golden campine; Kennedy & Jacobus strain; $2 for 13; pen headed by strictly hen-feathered male. 820 N. Jefferson.
EGGS—For sale; barred rock, fine stock; select, $1.50; utility, $1. 4771 Cote Brilliante.
EGGS—For sale; thoroughbred small-comb buff rocks, $1 for 15, $4.75 per hundred. 6846A Clayton av. Benton 393.
EGGS—For sale, white langshan and colored muscovy, $1 a setting; first prize stock. Doerflinger Bros., Carrie av. and Hall st.
EGGS—For sale, setting eggs, s. c. black minorcas, and Thompson barred rocks; also cockerels. Colfax 780M. 4120 Carter (c)
EGGS—For sale; r. i. reds, s. c., that are red. 3070 Weimers. 6610 Hoffman, end Tower Grove line; near Gratiot station.
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EGGS—For sale; silver and golden campines; for setting, $1.50; 5 pens headed by strictly hen-feathered cocks. Herbert Moss Jr., R. R. 4, Box 99A, Henderson, Ky.
EGGS—For sale; reduced for one week; r. i. red, pekin duck, buff cochin bantams; 75c per setting; red eggs, $4 per 100, $7.50 for 200. 9809 S. Broadway.
EGGS—For hatching from prize-winning red sussex and partridge plymouth rocks, $2 setting; buff orpington eggs, from prize-winning strain, setting, $1.50.

POULTRY AND BIRDS

FOR SALE

EGGS—For sale; s. c. white leghorns, $3 per 100; 90 per cent fertile s. w. orpingtons, $1 for 15; all eggs from heavy winter layers. Muren Poultry Farm, Belleville, Ill.
EGGS—For sale, from carefined city hens; don't compare in vigor with country stock; get catalogue. Missouri White Leghorn Farm, Valley Park.
EGGS—For sale; white plymouth rocks; for hatching. Fischel, De Lezgar and Hallach strains. Prices on application. A. J. Kinder, Cuba, Mo.
EGGS—For sale, for hatching; golden seabright bantam and winter laying anconas, $1.50 per 15. Benton 456. 3059 Laclede av. Maplewood. (c)
EGGS—For sale; from confined city hens; don't compare in vigor with country stock; get catalogue. Missouri White Leghorn Farm, Valley Park, Mo.
EGGS—For sale; partridge wyandottes, Premier and Keil strains; $2 per 15; cockerels, $3. Can furnish mating list and show record free. Phil J. Rothmeier, Marissa, Ill.
EGGS—For sale; Columbian wyandottes, for setting; 207 strain; prize winners; baby chicks; fertility guaranteed; circular free. C. Meddows, O'F

U. S. ATTORNEY AT NEW YORK ASSAILS HOUSE COMMITTEE

Members Accused of Trying to Prevent Prosecution of Congressman Buchanan.

NEW YORK, March 4.—United States District Attorney H. Snowden Marshall made public here today a letter which he sent to the congressional committee which has been here investigating his official conduct, accusing the committee of acting in bad faith and of attempting by slander and intimidation to prevent the prosecution of Congressman Frank Buchanan.

The letter was addressed to Congressman Charles C. Carlin, chairman. The other two members of the committee are Congressman Warren Gard of Ohio and Congressman John M. Nelson of Wisconsin.

Marshall's letter was the sequel of the arrest yesterday by the order of committee of L. R. Holme, a reporter, for the New York Times, for the alleged contempt in refusing to tell the source of information on which an account of the committee's proceedings was based. He was later released after the United States Marshal had refused to take him in custody.

The account in question said it was the belief of the District Attorney's office that the investigation had been started to prevent the prosecution of pro-German offenders against American neutrality.

In his letter Marshall took full responsibility for the Times article. Describing an interview which he had given to Holme, he said:

"I said that your expedition to this town was not an investigation conducted in good faith, but was a deliberate effort to intimidate any District Attorney who had the temerity to present charges against one of your honorable body."

The letter then asserted that the committee had "invited every rogue you could lay your hands upon to come before you and blackguard and slander me and my assistants." It continued:

"I told him that I did not share the views which seemed to prevail in your sub-committee; I said that I regarded a member of Congress who would take money for an unlawful purpose from any foreign agent as a traitor."

The letter was delivered to Congressman Carlin just prior to the departure of the committee for Washington, where the investigation will be resumed next week.

Carlin said he was greatly surprised at its contents, but that no reply would be made to Marshall until the committee returns its report to Congress. He said that the committee had no intention of persecuting Marshall and that the District Attorney labored under an entire misconception regarding the investigation.

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BIG MAJORITY OF CHICAGO DELEGATES UNINSTRUCTED; T. R. STRENGTH GROWING

Roosevelt Likely to Be Leading Candidate After Favorite Sons Are Disposed Of in Republican National Convention.

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CHICAGO, Ill., March 4.—Uninstructed delegates will have a large majority at the Republican convention at Chicago next June. No favorite son will enter the convention with more than 100 delegates bound to him by instructions. Roosevelt seems to be the man with the most strength, Hughes an increasing second.

The Democratic National Convention will open at St. Louis, one week later, with more than two-thirds of the delegates instructed to renominate President Wilson. The only fight in sight is over the language of the platform and a contingent skirmish as to the vice presidential nomination.

These are the main facts that stand out strongly in a poll of the nation made during the week just ended by the Tribune, summarized as follows:

Alabama—Republicans will have uninstructed delegation, split between Roosevelt and Hughes. Democrats for Wilson and for national prohibition.

Arizona—Republican State Committee will name delegates, probably for Roosevelt. No opposition to Wilson.

Arkansas—Republican State Convention will send uninstructed delegation. Sherman has some Arkansas strength. Democrats for Wilson.

California—Republican delegates will be unpledged. Cummins' name may be on primary ballot. Factional smash-up of 1912 as bitter as ever. Wilson gets the State without serious trouble.

Colorado—Republican delegates will be uninstructed and ready to cooperate with Eastern leaders on harmony program. No trouble for Wilson.

Strong Hughes Sentiment.

Connecticut—Republican delegation probably uninstructed unless it is determined to back Weeks. Strong Hughes sentiment in Eastern half of State and pronounced Root strength in west. Democrats are for Wilson.

Delaware—Uninstructed delegation is probable Republican policy. For Root or Hughes. Democrats for Wilson.

Florida—Republican delegates already chosen, go uninstructed. Democrats are for Wilson because his is only name on primary ballot.

Georgia—Republican factions harmonizing on fifty-fifty division or delegates between 1912 factions. Will go uninstructed. Wilson has no opposition.

Idaho—Republican delegates will be instructed to use all possible means to get nomination for Senator William E. Bohar. Every reason to believe delegation would support Roosevelt, if his name is presented. Democrats will instruct for Wilson.

Illinois—Republican delegates will be instructed for Senator Lawrence Y. Sherman. Slight chance for avowed pro-Roosevelt delegates to break the solid Sherman strength. Democrats will be for Wilson.

Indiana—Republican delegation will be unanimously and earnestly for Charles W. Fairbanks and Democratic delegation will be for Wilson.

Iowa for Cummins.

Iowa—Republican delegates will be unanimously for Senator Albert B. Cummins. No opposition among the Democrats to renomination of Wilson.

Kansas—Kansas delegates probably will be uninstructed. Sentiment in Kansas is strong for Hughes. Wilson undoubtedly will have support of Kansas Democrats.

Kentucky—State Convention, after a row, instructed for Fairbanks. District delegates about half and half as between instructions for Fairbanks and no instructions. Democrats a unit for Wilson.

Louisiana—Republican delegation probably to be harmonious and uninstructed. Democrats are for Wilson.

Maine—Republican policy probably will be for an uninstructed delegation, dependent upon later New England developments. Democrats are for Wilson.

Maryland—Republican delegation will be uninstructed and unpledged. Dmocrats will support Wilson.

Massachusetts—Indications now that Massachusetts will have uninstructed delegation and that Senator Weeks and Gov. McCall, both presidential possibilities, will be members. Roosevelt boom believed to be cooking in New England. Democrats are for Wilson.

Michigan—Michigan Republicans undecided. Probably will instruct for Senator William Alden Smith in primary, April 3. Democrats for Wilson.

Minnesota for Iowan.

Minnesota—By agreement Minnesota Republican delegation will be for Cummins. After complimentary vote delegation will be free to vote for Hughes, Root or Roosevelt. Wilson has unanimous Democratic support.

Mississippi—Republican delegation to be uninstructed and harmonious. Democrats for Wilson.

Missouri—Republicans likely to proffer former Gov. H. S. Hadley as State's favorite son. Considerable T. R. sentiment. Democrats for Wilson.

Montana—Republican primary may instruct for Sherman of Illinois. Democrats for Wilson.

Nebraska—Republican primary contest between Cummins and Estabrook. Individual delegates nearly all for Hughes. Bryan will head Democratic delegation under Wilson instructions.

Nevada—Republican delegates elected last week, absolutely uninstructed and unpledged. Democrats solidly for Wilson.

New Hampshire—Republican primary next week likely to send uninstructed delegates, but strongly for Roosevelt, with Hughes next. May determine New England States' course. Democrats for Wilson.

Jersey Is Divided.

New Jersey—Republican delegates probably to be uninstructed. Root, Hughes and Roosevelt are the favorites. Democrats altogether for Wilson.

New Mexico—Republicans will instruct for Roosevelt. Democrats unanimous for Wilson.

New York—Republican delegates will be uninstructed, unless some avowed Roosevelt candidates break the organization slate. New York leaders have regained hope that Root can be nominated. Democratic delegates will vote for Wilson.

North Carolina—Republican State convention last week named uninstructed delegation, "50-50," as between old factions. Democrats for Wilson.

North Dakota—Republican delegation probably will be instructed for Cummins or La Follette. Democrats are for Wilson.

Ohio—Republican delegation will be for Burton until he is nominated or it is apparent his nomination is hopeless. Democrats are for Wilson.

Oklahoma—Roosevelt will have some Republican strength. Delegation will not be a unit. Sentiment of Democrats for Wilson.

Oregon—Direct primaries will send delegation to Chicago unpledged to any candidate. Democrats for Wilson.

Pennsylvania—Republican condition still chaotic. Harmony may be reached before primaries of May 16. Much quiet Roosevelt talk in the cities. Democrats for Wilson.

Rhode Island—Republicans awaiting New England developments. Democrats for Wilson.

South Carolina—Chicago delegation to be uninstructed and harmonious. Democrats for Wilson.

Growing Roosevelt Strength.

South Dakota—Under-current for Hughes, but Republicans will be instructed for Cummins. Democratic factions have indorsed Wilson.

Tennessee—If T. R. gives any encouragement Republicans will indorse his candidacy. Democrats will be pledged to Wilson.

Texas—Col. Cecil Lyon quietly working to control Republican delegates for Roosevelt. Democrats all for Wilson.

Utah—Senator Smoot and other Republican leaders are for Roosevelt. Democrats are for Wilson.

Vermont—May split the Republican delegation, giving Weeks a part, as his birth State. Roosevelt has some strength. Strong Hughes sentiment. Democrats for Wilson.

Virginia—Republican delegates probably to be uninstructed and favorable to Hughes or Root. Democrats for Wilson.

Washington—Much Roosevelt talk, but delegates will be uninstructed. Democrats for Wilson.

West Virginia—Primaries will be held the day before the Republican national convention. Probably an agreed and instructed delegation. Democrats are for Wilson.

Wisconsin—Determined fight in progress to keep delegation from La Follette and to send uninstructed delegation to Chicago. Democrats have indorsed Wilson.

Wyoming—Republican delegation will be uninstructed, with no preference yet appearing. Democrats for Wilson.

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DIES AFTER FALLING 50 FEET

St. Louis County Carpenter Was Employed on East Side High School.

Dietrich Breier, 30 years old, a carpenter of 719 Hofmeister avenue, St. Louis County, died yesterday in the Deaconess hospital in East St. Louis from injuries received Thursday when he fell from the third floor of the new high school building to the ground, a distance of 50 feet. His back was broken. He was married.

Breier and another man were at work wrecking a platform at the top of an open shaft. A crossbar broke, and the platform and Breier were precipitated to the bottom. The other man grabbed a projecting piece of timber and saved himself.

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news gathered by the Associated Press

ILLINOIS TOWN ASKS GOVERNOR FOR STATE POLICE

Series of Crimes Causes Citizens of Nokomis to Appeal to Dunne.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PANA, Ill., March 4.—Because of the murder of John McLeish, 35 years old, by Herbert Maddox, 16, a few days ago, numerous shooting and cutting scrapes and hundreds of violations of the local option laws, 200 residents of Nokomis, a mining town of 3500 population 12 miles west of here, today appealed to Gov. Dunne to provide the city with state police to protect life and property. Gov. Dunne decided he had no authority to send troops.

In their petition to the Governor, the citizens set forth that for 12 months and more, Mayor Joseph Weinstein and a majority of the Council have been unable to agree upon the appointment of police and the city has been without any police protection whatever.

Mayor Weinstein has made repeated appointments of police, but the Council has refused each time to confirm them. The fight centers upon the wet and dry issue, Weinstein and two aldermen being considered wet and three aldermen dry.



The Last Week of the Last BIG Sale We Will Hold in Months:
Remainders From Our ORIGINAL February Sale in This

March Cleanup Sale!

In Most Instances the Prices Are About ½ and Liberal Charge Terms Besides!



$40 Gas and Coal Combination Range, $29.75

Burns gas, coal, wood—anything. Several Ranges in one. Sold heretofore at $39.75; in this sale of unusual immensity, special, $29.75. The illustration merely gives an idea but is not the exact Range.

Sample Gas Ranges at ½ Price

These Ranges were only slightly used as demonstrators or samples.

$30 Floor Gas Ranges ..... $10 | $20 Floor Gas Ranges $15



The illustration tells more eloquently than words the exceptionalness of this special, and to see the suite itself and note price, you won't believe your own eyes, $39.75.

At a Big Saving **$39.75**

$45 complete 3-piece Davenette Suite $29.75

$80 magnificently upholstered Suite of solid mahogany $49.75

For Baby!

Elegant Carriages and Collapsible Go-Carts at

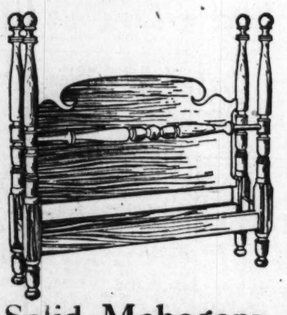
25% and More Off



The Reed Baby Carriage, as shown, in rich brown or neutral gray; a carriage fit for a Prince; rubber tired; everything

$14.50

$11.50 Collapsible Go-Carts ..$7.50
$7.50 Collapsible Go-Carts ..$5.00
$3.95 Collapsible Go-Carts ..$2.50

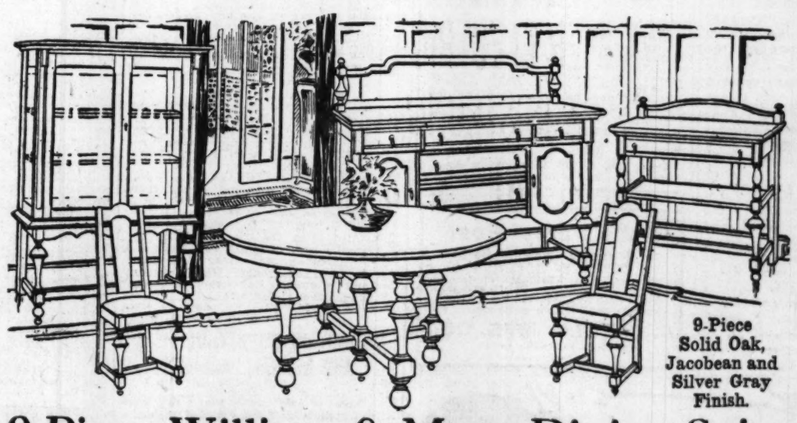


Solid Mahogany 4-Post Beds

The popular beds of the day. In more homes than any other style; sanitary and beautiful; will make your bedroom look like the old Colonials. These very same beds would cost you almost double, ordinarily—in this final March cleanup, $19.75.

Shown in singles, ¾ or full size double. The Twin Beds are very much in demand.

$19.75



9-Piece Solid Oak, Jacobean and Silver Gray Finish.

9-Piece William & Mary Dining Suite

Includes Every Piece Shown—Except Serving Table

Do not confuse this magnificent Suite with some small 5, 6 or 7-piece Suites quoted at similar or lower prices.

The richness of design and the graceful finish, while they are strong appeals, are naught when compared to the appeal of this sensationally low price. It is a marvelously beautiful and strong suite—9 complete pieces, with arm chair and 5 others, 1 buffet, 1 china closet and 1 extension table—original in every respect—easy sliding drawers. See it, you'll understand. Complete Serving Table, $7.00 extra.

$89.50

Easy Terms If You Wish



Kitchen Cabinets at Prices NEW to You

An Immense Lot of KITCHEN CABINETS **$16.50**

The white lined Cabinet illustrated, special at .....

Other time, money and trouble savers for the kitchen, as follows:

$15.00 Kitchen Cabinets, this sale.....$6.95
$21.00 Kitchen Cabinets, this sale.....$13.00
$39.75 Kitchen Cabinets, this sale.....$23.50

Just 14 REFRIGERATORS at ½ Price

The last of this exceptional opportunity is here. The few remaining—just 14 from last season—but of course as good as any for you. All ½ price to close out at once, as low as $5.00.



"William and Mary" Bedroom Suite

The lines are entirely period, with large bronze and brass pulls. Comes in either dull mahogany or Circassian walnut. The Suite includes Dresser, Chest of Drawers, Dressing Table and Bed; Rocker and Chair extra. Does not include Rocker and Chair at this price.....

Dresser, $29.75; Bed, $16.75; Dressing Table, $19.50; Chest of Drawers, $17.50.

$79.75

Carpet and Rug Sacrifices

From our enormous floor of Carpets, Rugs, Linoleums, etc., we have grouped these specials—

Inlaid Linoleum—All colors and patterns; yard.....85c
27x54 Velvet Rugs—in this gigantic sale.....95c
Axminster and Wilton Velvet Rugs—9x12 feet; at.....$17.50
Brussels Rugs—Loom woven; 9x12; all patterns, few remaining from the Original February Furniture Sale.....$9.75

THE HUB

N·W·COR WASHINGTON AVE·&·9TH·ST·

Northwest Corner

Washington Av. & 9th St.



Complete 9-Piece Dining-Room Suite $64.50

The lowest price for like quality in the long career of this store. Do NOT think this is a small suite—it is massive—the illustration doesn't even do it justice—it has 10-inch Buffet, Extension Table, Six Chairs and Old Roman China Closet. Solid fumed oak construction throughout. Notwithstanding the low price, in this sale you can "Charge it" and send it home, $64.50.

SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH'S REVIEW OF MARKET CONDITIONS

SUBMARINE CRISIS FAILS TO CAUSE LIQUIDATION IN WALL STREET STOCK MARKET

Week's Prices Are Steady Despite Strained Relations With Germany.

TRADE REPORTS ARE GOOD

Steel Prices Are Advancing, While Orders Continue to Increase.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 4.—The Evening Post, in its copyrighted weekly financial review today, says:

"The Stock Exchange has been visibly swayed this week, to a degree not witnessed during the past 19 months, except in the first few days after the Lusitania had been sunk, by considerations of the war and relations arising from the war. How much of the week's uncertain and excited fluctuation of prices was a direct result of the day-to-day news from Verdun, and how much of the three phases of the German-American situation—the new submarine decree, the negotiations with the German Ambassador, and the extraordinary collision between the President and Congress—is merely a matter of opinion.

"The conflicting news from the great battle was certainly the governing influence early in the week. The violent break of Wednesday, the day when the new order for sinking merchant vessels without warning or mercy went into effect, was a result of reckless rumors, timed and worded so as to create the impression that the German submarines were sinking every craft that their guns could reach. But when the real diplomatic situation drew to an unmistakable crisis the Stock Exchange calmed down and watched developments with the utmost coolness. Prices ceased to decline, the market moved only slowly and deliberately, but so far as it reflected any state of mind, it was reassurance.

The Market Last Year.

"If financial information and judgment had indicated that the President's attitude and the coercion of the congressional insurgents actually foreshadowed war with Germany, it is perfectly safe to say that the Stock Exchange would have acted very differently. Last May, during four days after the Lusitania and her passengers had been sunk, the financial community itself was apparently ready for war; it would almost certainly have regarded a declaration of war as justified by the atrocious act of the German navy. But the stock market nevertheless, and because of those very facts, fell into extreme demoralization. Every intelligent person knew that even a just war, and even a war where the two antagonists could not physically encounter one another, would be no light thing for the nation's political and economic welfare.

"There has been no such movement on the market this time, and it is difficult to explain the Stock Exchange's general attitude, except on the supposition that, whether rightly or wrongly, it believes the President's attitude towards the German submarine provisions and towards the congressional malcontents to be the surest way of averting a situation which might make war inevitable.

"Wall street understands perfectly the risks created when the civil authorities of a belligerent Government are secretly defied and undermined by the same Government's naval staff. It has no illusions as to the origin of discussions over the benefits of war with the United States, suddenly published in the guise of editorial opinion, by previously peaceable and well-balanced German newspapers.

"And yet it has a strong instinctive feeling that the way out of dangers of such a situation is neither through retort in kind nor through meek surrender, but through quiet and consistent assertion of neutral rights. At any rate, it is hard to read any other interpretation into this week's market.

Exchange Market Strong.

"Foreign exchange held mostly at the level maintained throughout the week. The port statistics showed that nearly $3,000,000 gold has been sent out of New York this week, mostly to Cuba and South America, but a full million going on the English steamer.

"There was little in the general news to influence financial sentiment, except for the testimony, from all quarters, of aggressive and prosperous activity in general business. The steel trade naturally holds leadership, yet the trend in many other industries appears to be similar, though fortunately without the excited and violent rise of prices which is making the movement in that trade one of the puzzles of the day.

"The week-end mercantile reviews bear witness, even as regards these other lines of business, that with the steel trade, the remarkable fact is that rising prices, instead of curtailing purchases by consumers, seem actually to stimulate them. How far this is an altogether wholesome influence, is likely to remain debatable for sometime to come.

"Compilations of the country's exchange of bank checks during February, testifies to the prevalent conditions of activity. The total naturally did not match the figure of other recent months, but it surpassed all precedents for February, itself. That it should have increased 53 per cent over 1915 was not perhaps remarkable, but its 41 per cent expansion over February, 1914, and 34 per cent over even 1913—a really active period of peace—makes a far more significant comparison."

LONDON REVIEW

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York Evening Post.

LONDON, March 4.—At Lloyd's there is no unusual perturbation over anticipated developments in connection with Germany's new submarine order. There are those, however, who believe that the final failure of the country operations at Verdun would result in resumption of the policy of frightfulness by Germany on a scale which, in coming months, may bring startling developments.

The City's view is that Verdun is likely to have profound influence in opening the eyes of the German people to the realities of the situation. It would at least appear that the German press is already beginning to prepare the population for the full news of the appalling and fruitless losses, by laying stress on the brilliant fighting of the French.

But even a distant success by France would not bring the war to any immediate conclusion. As matters stand the weakest belligerent rejects proposals of peace, and with the great belligerent Powers, the character of warfare pursued by Germany is itself a barrier to peace negotiations under present conditions.

The nature of the coming financial proposals by our Government will probably be that of both direct and indirect taxes and further voluntary loans. It is possible that a loan issue with something of the lottery character may be adopted. If adopted, however, it would not be primarily because of the Exchequer's necessities, but as a plan to check extravagance in personal expenditure among wage earners handling unaccustomed large sums of money. Failing a lottery device, there may be proposed some compulsory requisition on excess wages—not as taxation, but for stipulated investment.

The best economic features here are the growth of economy and the largely increased production of munitions, in spite of the drain of men to the front. Moreover, while our responsibilities for financing our allies continue enormous, it will be observed that our gold reserve is still much above the average of the war period, and that our allies' stores have not yet drawn upon; added to which, the foreign exchange problems are now handled by experts.

"Deposit of American securities in Government hands proceeds with extraordinary regularity. That part of the scheme will shortly become operative, whereby British holders may lend 'Americans' to the Government, aside from selling outright. The banks are being prompted by the Treasury to take steps toward closing all mere speculative positions in American securities, thus compelling sales.

"The City expresses disbelief in current reports of a financial crisis and social disturbance in Germany. But there is the best of information that much unrest exists."

Banks Show a Gain of $3,521,650 on the Week.

NEW YORK, March 4.—The statement of the actual condition of Clearing House banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $137,520,444 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of $2,521,650 over last week.

The statement follows: Actual condition—Loans, etc., decrease $4,382,111,000, decrease $26,784,000; reserve in own vaults (B) $497,703,000, decrease $5,430,000; reserve in Federal reserve Banks $169,644,000, increase $2,880,000; reserve in other depositaries $59,041,000, increase $562,000; net demand deposits $3,423,206,000, decrease $25,625,000; net time deposits $152,022,000, decrease $3,190,000; circulation $34,704,000, decrease $173,000. (B) Of which $425,934,000 is specie. Aggregate reserve, $726,475,000; excess reserve $137,520,444, increase $2,521,650.

Summary of State banks and trust companies in Greater New York not included in clearing house statement; Loans, etc. $880,843,100, increase $5,398,700; specie $57,457,700, increase $688,900; legal tenders $54,587,400, decrease $525,000; total deposits $870,277,000, increase $4,471,000; banks' cash reserve in vaults, $111,313,400; trust companies' cash reserve in vaults, $54,981,700.

BOSTON STOCKS CLOSE.

Reported by G. H. Walker & Co., 307 North Fourth street.

BOSTON, March 4.

STOCKS.	Bid.	Asked.
American Zinc	78¾	79
Butte & Superior	94	94¼
Calumet & Hecla	560	570
Copper Range	63½	63¾
East Butte	13¼	13½
Granby	57	57
Greene Cananea	43¼	44
Mohawk	92	93¼
North Butte	30¾	30¾
Nipissing	8	8¼
United Shoe Machinery	54¾	55
do pfd	49½	50

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, March 4.—Raw sugar, firm; molasses, 4.50c; centrifugal, 3.71c; refined, firm. Spot market for sugar futures was quiet, but prices were a little lower under scattered week-end liquidation, closing unchanged to 2 points lower. March, 4.36c; July, 4.44c; September, 4.35c; December, 4.44c.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Reported weekly for the Post-Dispatch by G. H. Walker & Co., 307 North 4th st. FOR WEEK ENDING Mar. 4, 1916.

STOCKS.	Sales.	Open Mon.	High for Week.	Low for Week.	Close Sat.
Alaska Gold	24,500	22	22	19¾	19¾
American Coal Products	6,000	154	164	156½	157½
American Beet Sugar	17,000	67	68¾	64¾	67½
American Can common	58,300	61	61¾	56¾	59¾
American Can preferred	900	110¾	111	110	111
Allis-Chalmers common	9,000	28½	29	26	28¾
Allis-Chalmers preferred	10,200	79	79	75	77
American Car & Foundry Co. common	20,900	67¼	67¾	64	66¼
American Car & Foundry Co. preferred	200	117¾	118¾	117¾	118¼
American Cotton Oil	500	52¾	52¾	52	52
American Ice	3,700	28¾	29	28	28¼
A., H. & L. common	500	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
A., H. & L. preferred	3,100	49	49	45	45
American Locomotive common	108,200	70¾	70¾	68¾	69¼
American Locomotive preferred	900	100¾	101¾	99¾	101¾
American Smelter common	66,300	97¼	99¼	95¼	97¾
Alaska Juneau	4,000	9¾	9¾	8¾	9
American Sugar	2,000	112	112	109½	111
American Telephone	4,200	127¾	127¾	127¼	127½
American Linseed Oil common	9,500	22	22	20	22
American Linseed Oil preferred	8,000	40¾	41¾	38¼	41
American Tobacco	3,000	194	196	189¾	199
American Tobacco preferred	300	105¾	106¾	105½	106¾
Anaconda Copper	98,900	86¾	87	83¾	85¾
Atchison common	8,600	103	103¾	102	102¾
Baltimore & Ohio	28,200	86¾	86½	85	86½
Baldwin Locomotive	171,900	108½	104¾	99½	101¾
Bethlehem Steel common	1,500	490	465	450	465
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	1,900	85½	86½	85½	86
Butte & Superior	40,200	89¼	93¾	88	94¼
California Petroleum	11,200	28¾	29	26¼	28¾
*Canadian Pacific	13,000	166¾	168¼	162½	165¼
Central Leather common	10,300	52¾	53	51½	52¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	12,900	61¾	62¾	60¾	60¾
Chicago Great Western	1,000	12¾	12¾	12¾	12½
Chicago Great Western preferred	800	34¾	34¾	34¼	34½
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul common	5,200	93¼	94	92¼	93¼
Chicago Northwest	700	120¾	120¾	120¼	120¼
Chino Copper	33,800	56½	57¾	54½	56¾
Chicago Rock Island	17,100	18¾	18¾	17¾	17¾
Colorado Fuel & Iron	25,100	42	42¾	39¾	39¾
Chile Copper	6,200	23¼	23¾	22¼	22¾
Consolidated Gas	3,400	131¼	132	130½	132
Crucible Steel	139,200	75	76¾	70¾	73¾
Corn Products Refining common	77,500	21¼	23½	20¾	22¾
Distillers	25,700	44¾	46¾	43¾	45¾
Erie common	44,600	35½	37	35½	35¾
Erie first preferred	6,100	51	52¼	50½	51½
Erie second preferred	100	44	44	44	44
General Electric	4,400	168¼	168¼	163½	167
General Motor common	700	460	466	450	460
General Motor preferred	200	113	113	113	113
Great Northern Ore	15,900	42¾	43¾	39¾	41¾
Great Northern preferred	5,700	120	120¼	119¼	120¼
Guggenheim	8,200	21¾	21¾	20¾	21
Goodrich	22,100	69¾	70¾	68	70¼
Illinois Central	1,200	103	103	101	102
Int. M. M. common	18,800	14½	15¾	14¾	15¼
Int. M. M. preferred	93,100	66¾	67½	61	62¼
International Harvester	1,300	109½	109½	106¾	109
Ins. Cop.	37,900	45¼	45¼	43¾	45
Kansas City Southern common	2,900	23¾	23¾	23¾	23½
Kansas City Southern preferred	300	60	60	60	60
Laclede Gas	500	105¾	105¾	103	105
Lehigh Valley Railway	5,000	78	78¾	76	77¾
Liggett & Myers common	400	252	252	249¾	250
Liggett & Myers preferred	200	122	122	120	122
Lackawanna Steel	13,000	73¼	73¼	72¾	73
Louisville & Nashville	900	122	123¾	121¼	121¼
May Department Stores	200	52	53	50¾	53
Mexican Petroleum	138,700	89¾	100¾	93	99¾
Miami Copper	14,300	36	36	32¾	35¾
Maxwell Motors common	38,000	63½	63¾	57¾	59¾
Maxwell Motors 1st preferred	2,500	84¾	84¾	82	83½
Maxwell Motors 2d preferred	7,600	48¾	48¾	42¾	45
M., K. & T. common	2,400	5	5	5	4¾
M., K. & T. preferred	800	13¾	14	13¾	14
Missouri Pacific	1,000	4¾	4¾	4½	4½
National Enamel common	4,000	24	24	23	24¼
National Lead common	9,900	66¾	67¾	64¾	66¼
Nevada Consolidated	6,700	16	16½	15¾	16¾
*New York Air Brake	3,400	140¼	141	137½	139
New York Central	20,200	104	104¾	101½	104
New York, N. H. & Hartford	8,800	66¼	68¼	66¼	67
New York, Ontario & Western	1,500	28	28¼	27	27½
*Norfolk & Western	2,900	116	116	114	115
North American	900	69	69¼	69	69
Northern Pacific	5,200	112	112½	111¾	112¾
Pacific Mail	15,700	22½	23¾	22	23¾
Pennsylvania	16,300	57	57¾	56½	56¾
People's Gas	500	102¾	103	102¾	103
Pittsburg Coal preferred	2,900	105	105½	102	104½
Pullman Palace Car	1,000	162½	162½	162	162½
Pressed Steel Car common	10,300	53	53	49¼	50
Railway Steel Springs	8,300	39	39¾	38¾	38¾
Ray Consolidated	25,300	24¾	24¾	24	24¾
Reading common	13,000	87	87¾	87	87½
Republic I. & S. common	22,000	50¼	50¼	48½	49¾
Republic I. & S. preferred	500	110¼	111	110	111
Studebaker common	77,300	139¾	141¾	133	137
St. Louis & San Francisco common	1,900	4¼	4¼	4	4
St. Louis & San Francisco first preferred	500	8¼	8¼	7¼	7¼
St. Louis & San Francisco second preferred	1,100	6	6¼	4	4¾
Sears Roebuck	1,500	174	175	168¼	173
*Southern Pacific	22,600	98¼	99¼	96¼	96¾
Southern Railway common	7,700	20¼	20¾	19¾	20¾
Tennessee Copper	111,000	56	56¼	53	54¾
Texas Oil Co.	11,000	203¼	203½	193	198¾
Texas Pacific	2,700	7¾	7¾	7	7
Third Avenue	1,700	60¾	60¼	59½	60¼
*Union Pacific common	28,700	132¾	134¾	130¼	131¼
United Fruit	19,200	142	144¾	138	142½
U. Railway Inv. common	900	14	15	13¾	14½
United States Rubber	11,500	50¼	50¼	47¾	49¾
*United States Steel common	368,900	82¾	84¾	81¾	81¾
United States Steel preferred	4,300	116¾	116¾	115¾	115¾
United States Ind. Alcohol	50,500	143	155	142¼	149¾
Utah Copper	40,300	82¾	84¾	81¾	84¼
Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co.	4,300	45¾	45¾	42	44¼
Wabash, Pittsburg	2,400	13¾	14¾	13	13¾
Wabash, P. A.	7,800	42¾	42¾	41¼	43
Wabash pfd. B.	7,800	25¾	26¾	24¾	26
Western Maryland	2,500	26	26¼	24¾	26
Western Union	2,900	93¾	97	87	88¾
Westinghouse	67,300	64¾	64¾	60¾	62¾
Woolworth common	1,800	120¼	120¼	110	119
Willys-Overland common	2,300	207	210¼	203¾	210
Willys-Overland preferred	500	103	103	102	103
American Zinc	35,700	78¼	79¾	76	78¾
Granby Mining	6,300	90	90	88	89

*Ex-dividend during the week. Total sales for the week, 3,093,700 shares.

WAGNER ELECTRIC STOCK IS STRONG; BIDS AT $215

ST. LOUIS CLEARING HOUSE STATEMENT.

	Clearings.	Balances.
Yesterday	$12,306,588	$1,818,366
Last Saturday	11,573,289	1,868,635
Last week	95,156,302	11,164,925
Previous week	76,307,516	7,978,524
Last year	9,796,703	9,278,073

Wagner Electric stock continued its upward sweep in the local market yesterday and scored a new high record on bids at $215, compared with a previous high yesterday on trades at $212.50. Granite-Bimetallic Mining stock also was active and strong and after selling at 67½c was wanted at 68¾c. Yesterday's sales were at 65¼c. Other mining stocks were quiet.

United Railways 4s were weak, and on the sale of $8000 worth lost ½ point to $62.50. Closing bids were 62, with offers at $63. United Railways 20s were steady on the quotations recorded.

National Bank of Commerce was firm on the transfer of five shares at $100.50. Other bank and trust issues were quiet. Bonds reflected a fair investment demand at steady figures.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Mechanics-Am. National	160	180
Nat. Bank of Commerce	100	100
Mississippi Valley Trust	295	300
United Railways 4s	71½	72
United Railways pfd.	19¾	20
United Railways 4s	62	63
St. L. & S. F. gen. 6s	72¾	73
Cass Av. & F. G. 4½s	87	87½
E. St. L. & Sub. 5s	87	90
Lacled Gas pfd.	103½	104
Kinloch Telephone 6s	105½	106
Kinloch Tel. L.D. stock	154½	155
K. C. L.D. Tel. 5s	92	95
Missouri Edison 5s	100	100
Union Sand & Material	73¼	74
International Shoe com.	98	99
International Shoe pfd.	110¼	111
Mark & Haas pfd.	100	101
General Roofing pfd.	104	104½
Central Coal & Coke com.	72½	73
Granite Bi-Metallic	65	70
St. L. Brewing Assn. 6s	61½	62
Independent Brew., 1st pfd.	10	10½
Independent Brew 6s	50¼	52
National Candy com.	6	6½
National Candy 1st pfd.	90	95
Wagner Electric	215	220

SALES BETWEEN SESSIONS.

$20 Granite-Bimetallic at 67¼c.
5 Chicago Ry. Equipment at $87.

REGULAR SESSION.

5 Bank of Commerce at $100.50.
$5000 United Railways 4s at $62.50.
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$100 K. C. Home Tel. 6s at $94.

STRONG RANGE OF PRICES IN CATTLE MARKET

Week's Values Are Up 25c to 40c—Hog Market Is Close to High Record.

RECEIPTS AT NATIONAL STOCKYARDS.

	Last Week.	Prev. Week.	Year Ago.
Cattle	13,510	13,417	11,784
Hogs	70,595	64,832	79,527
Sheep	13,502	8,701	5,824
Horses & mules	4,887	6,455	6,300

CATTLE—Receipts were light last week, but about like those of the previous week. There was another strong, higher market on all classes of cattle, and the advance was distributed evenly on all classes of steers, which made up the major portion of the receipts throughout the week. The market at the close displayed an advance of 25c to 40c.

The best steers on sale was a load at $9, but sellers are of the opinion that $10 would not be putting choice to prime grades any too high were they available. There were a good many steers above the $8 market and the bulk of all sold from $7.25 to $8.35. There was a string of Kansas steers at $8.60. The clearance was thorough.

The butcher market was strong all week. Heifers, which were in fair supply only, sold on a 25c to 35c basis, with yearlings quotable from 35c to 50c higher than the previous week. A few heifers sold up to $8.85, but the best full loads of mixed steers and heifers sold at $9. Cows sold well and scored a price advance of 15c to 25c. Some real choice beef cows sold up to $7.75 this week, with a good many from $7 to $7.50. The canners did not advance as much as other grades. The market was 10c to 15c higher, with the bulk of them selling from $4.25 to $4.50. There was an active movement all week and the clearance was thorough.

There was a light crop of vealers offered, but there was a good strong call for them, and the market was steady with the previous week. Top was $11.25, with the bulk selling from $10 to $12. The stocker and feeder supply was exceedingly light all week. The demand far exceeds the available supply. Prices show an advance of 15c to 25c generally. Best stock and feeding steers are quotable up to $7.75, with the bulk going from $6 to $7. There was free movement of these classes all week.

Southern Cattle Strong.

The Southern cattle market took a liberal spurt, on top of a fair advance on previous week. The market on grown cattle was 25c to 40c over the previous week. Not many steers were offered. The feature of the week's trading was a string of steers at $8.10, fed in Louisiana. This was the record price ever paid for Louisiana steers on this market. There was also a string of Arkansas steers at $7.65. Aside from these there were not many steers available. The cows and heifers sold well. Canners went from $4.60 to $4.80, with cutters selling in a wide range of $4.85 to $5.25. Yearling grades displayed a 25c advance, until the late stages when killers apparently became filled up and hammered prices to some extent. The market closed on a 10c to 15c higher level after the cut. The bulk of the yearlings late went from $4.85 to $5.10. There was an active movement of all classes throughout the week, and the clearance was thorough.

Towards the end of the week good quality hogs found ready sale at $9@9.25, medium grades $8.50@8.95, and heavy packers at $8.10@8.40. The best demand was from the shippers, but all buyers showed a disposition to get as many hogs as possible and the packers paid well up around the top of the market for several days.

Good quality pigs and lights were ready sale and showed the full advance, but the poorer grades did not go so well and improved but little. The best of the lights, weighing less than 165 pounds, sold at $8.40@8.75, fair grades $7.50@8.25 best pigs under 125 pounds $7.50@8.25, and others from $6@7.40, according to quality. Southern pigs and lights were pretty slow sellers at all times.

Sheep in Demand.

A strong demand existed and the market was active all week, with prices on a good, firm basis. The best of the lambs found ready sale at $11.25@11.40, while fair to medium grades sold at $10.40@11, and the culls and others that were not good went at $8@9.50, according to quality. The yearlings were pretty good as a rule and sold at $9.25@9.65. The top for lambs was within 10c of the highest price on record.

The best of the sheep brought $8, while ewes that were fair to medium quality sold at $7.50@7.85. Buyers quickly picked up all sheep that could be used for slaughter. Very few stockers or thin sheep of any sort were received. Bucks were scarce, but the few offered sold at $6.75@7.

FANCY HEAD LETTUCE SCARCE AND HIGHER; POOR STOCK DULL

Egg Market Lower, Depressed by Weak and Declining Prices at Other Leading Markets.

EGGS—Quote fresh firsts 18½c; cases returned, 16c; less. Held, stale, mixed, etc., dull and discounted according to quality.

BUTTER—Quote current make creamery, extras, 33c; firsts, 31@32c; seconds, 29@29c; dairy packing stock, 18½c; cheese, 19c.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, 22c; old toms, 19c; culls, 15c; spring chickens, 17c; stagey young roosters, 12c; broilers, 21c; cocks, 9c; ducks, 16½c; geese, 9@10c; capons, over 7 pounds, 22c; under 7 pounds, 20c; slips, 18c; guineas, 90c per pound, $3.50.

DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, 24c; toms, 22c; No. 2, 18c; fowls, 16c; spring chickens, 18c; ducks, 17½c; geese, 10@12c; cocks, 10c; capons, over 7 pounds 23c, 6@7 pounds 22c; slips, 19c.

PIGEONS AND SQUABS—Quote live pigeons at $1 per dozen; squabs, fancy homers (9@10 lbs. to the dozen), at $3.50@4 per dozen; common live squabs, 90c; dead pigeons, 60c per dozen.

VEAL—Quote choice (110 to 140 pounds, 10½c per pound, do 150 to 175 pounds, at 10c, do 180 to 200 pounds at 9½c; rough, coarse and heretics over 200 pounds, as well as thin and under weight, at 7@8½c, according to quality. Spring lambs quotable at 9@9½c for choice. Sheep—Choice at 8½@9c; bucks at 6½@8c.

Vegetables.

POTATOES—Quote track values: Sacked Northern rural and burbank at 98c to $1 for best bright stock—fancy dusty order more russet burbank at $1.00 to $1.06 according to quality—kings and early rose at 92c to 96c and sound early Ohio at 86c to $1.03, according to kind.

SWEET POTATOES—Quote sacked red delivered at 50@75c per 100 lbs. for soft and sprouted, $1.25@1.50 for fair up to $2.00 to $2.15@$2.25 for fancy. Quote home-grown yellow nancy hall sold at 50c delivered. Homegrown bu boxes sell loose at 50c to 60c for yellow, queen and red nansemond.

TOMATOES—Quote Bulk of the Florida offerings (both car lots and express shipments) too green to sell, hence not moving. Quote ripes in jobbing way delivered at 22½@25c and $2.50@2.75 for fancy.

TURNIPS—New Orleans hampers selling at 50@55c delivered and New Orleans bunched quotable at 25c and Kenner (small) at 15c pe, dozen bunches and at $2.00 per barrel.

SAUER KRAUT—Quote city make in jobbing way delivered: Kegs at 55c, half barrels at $1.40, barrels at $2.50 and casks at $1 00—orders higher.

GARLIC—Light sales Venetian at 14½c per pound.

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CELERY—Florida 10-inch crates in jobbing way delivered at $1.65 to $2 per crate. California quotable in jobbing way delivered at $2.50 per crate.

EGG PLANT—Quote Florida 1½-bushel crates at $4 for fancy large.

ENDIVE—In fair demand at $2.50 per sugar barrel for small to $3@3.25 for choice large; escarol dull at $2 and romaine at $2.50.

GREEN PEPPERS—Florida 1½-bushel crates at $1.75@2.25 for fancy.

HORSERADISH—Quote home-grown at $2.50 to $4.25 per barrel loose as in quality —orders higher.

KOHLRABI—Quote New Orleans at 25c and Kenner at 15c per dozen bunches.

LETTUCE—Quote Florida hampers at 50c to $1, according to quality; Texas short hampers quoted at 25c to $1 delivered. Chicago leaf, over 7 pounds, 25@30c per box.

MUSTARD GREENS—Quote New Orleans bunched at 20c and Kenner small bunches at 10@15c per dozen.

PARSNIPS—Quote home-grown washed at 50@60c per bushel box loose.

PARSLEY—Quote New Orleans curly at 25@40c, small bunches do and Kenner at 25c, and plain parsley at 20@22c per dozen bunches.

RADISHES—Quote New Orleans and Kenner tips at 15c per dozen bunches for small to 25c for large bunches.

SPINACH—Quote Texas bushel baskets in good order at 75c for curly and 90c for flat leaf and sugar barrels $4@4.50 for flat leaf and $3.50@4 for curly (light-packed leaf).

SQUASH—Quote Florida 1½-bu crates at $2.50.

STRING BEANS—Florida hampers fancy dark green at $2.75@3 and fancy pale green at $2.25@2.50.

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COTTON FUTURES 30 POINTS UP FOR THE WEEK

Early Prices Are Irregular, but a Rally Follows—Exports Are Fair.

The cotton market was irregular last week, but the trend was improved. Futures closed about 30 points above the previous week's finish.

Exports of cotton ofr the week ending last Friday, were 144,698 bales, compared with 354,073 during the same week last year. The total for the season up to the same day was 3,564,496 bales, compared with 5,537,073 for the same time last year. This comparison, year against year, and week against week, makes the movement this year appear very small. It is, however, a little better than was looked for a few weeks back, when the situation threatened an almost complete cessation of the movement of cotton to Europe.

From reports given out by those who are shipping cotton and engaging freight, it is learned that freight rates have not declined. Rumors are from time to time set afloat of lower ocean freights, but this has not materialized. One rumor said that Parliament will investigate freight rates on cotton, but it is generally thought that even if freight rates are lowered on ocean shipping cotton will receive only a small part of the benefit, foodstuffs being given the preference.

The movement to the ports from the interior is in line with exports. The receipts for the week were 73,404 bales at the interior towns; shipments 109,270 bales; stock left on hand 1,080,673 bales. The receipts at the ports were for the week 138,175 bales this year, compared with 303,397 last year; for the season 5,535,755 bales, compared with 3,240,347 last year; stocks 1,523,266 bales, compared with 1,734,149 last year.

The Total Movement.

The total movement into sight is in proportion to the port movement, being some 2,500,000 bales less than up to this time last year, showing how well the cotton has been cared for in the smaller interior towns and on the farms.

It is worthy of note that, in spite of the smaller general movement, the movement overland to mills is larger than last season. This may be laid in some measure to high ocean freights affecting coastwise traffic, but the increased takings by American mills seems largely responsible for it. American mills have taken so far this season about 525,000 bales more than for the same period last year. They report great activity, and are running on a double shift in some places.

Prices in the dry goods markets are quoted firm, and, when any change is made, prices are advanced, the mills having a decided advantage in the trading. They are well booked up.

The Liverpool Market.

Liverpool seems to have a gauge on the movement to that port, and her exports and forwardings just about offset the imports, a condition that has existed for some time. For the week there were imported 107,000 bales, of which 87,000 were American. There were forwarded 92,000 bales, of which 70,000 were American, and there were exported 12,246 bales. The total stocks were 860,000 bales, an increase of 2000 bales over last week. Of the total stock 622,000 bales were American, an increase of 15,000 bales over last week. During the week middling uplands advanced 7 points, the last quotation being 7.80d. Futures advanced 8 to 10 points.

Spot markets in this country showed more strength. In New Orleans, particularly, there was much activity and sales were larger than usual; their final quotations were ⅛c above the previous week. Other markets did not show so much activity, but prices were everywhere advanced and spot dealers report that prices in the country are noticeably higher, and holders regaining a good deal of their firmness.

The final quotations in the principal spot markets of the country were as follows: Galveston was quoted quiet, middling 11.55c; New Orleans, firm, 11.25c; Mobile, steady, 11c; Savannah, quiet, 11¼c; Charleston, steady, 11¼c; Norfolk, steady, 11.25c; Wilmington, nominal; Houston, steady, 11.50c; Augusta, steady, 11⅝c; Memphis, steady, 11.50c; Little Rock, steady, 11.50c; St. Louis, steady, 11⅝c.

NEW YORK FUTURE CLOSE.

	Close Friday.	High. Sat.	Low. Sat.	Close Sat.
Jan.	12.14@16	12.20	12.09	12.21@23
Feb.	12.17b	12.15	12.15	12.24@25
March	11.41@42	11.48	11.36	11.47@48
April	11.49@50			11.57b
May	11.54@55	11.64	11.50	11.63@64
June	11.65b			11.73b
July	11.73@76	11.84	11.69	11.82@84
Aug.	11.80@85			11.90@92
Sept.	11.88@90			11.96@97
Oct.	11.91@92	11.98	11.88	11.98@99
Nov.	11.97b			12.04b
Dec.	12.07@08	12.15	12.06	12.14@15

St. Louis—Tone of market firm, unchanged. Sales none. Good ordinary, 10¼c; low middling, 11¼c; middling, 11¾c; good middling, 12¼c; middling fair, 13¼c. Tinges, ¼c to ⅛c off from white.

LOWER PRICE RANGE IS RECORDED IN WHEAT PIT

Traders Favor the Selling Side on Expectation That Government Report Will Show Large Reserve in Farmers' Hands.

SATURDAY'S COMPARATIVE FUTURE QUOTATIONS.

Reported by St. Louis Merchants' Exchange. ST. LOUIS, March 4.

MAY WHEAT.

	Opening	High.	Low.	Close	Close Friday.	Close Last Year.
St. Louis	110@109¾	110¾	109	109¾@110 b

F. D. GARDNER AND F. M. WILSON OUT FOR GOVERNORSHIP

Total of Nine Are Candidates for the Democratic Gubernatorial Nomination.

ST. LOUISAN IS STRONG

Has Backing of Farmers—Platte Man Popular in Western Missouri.

Fred D. Gardner, president of the St. Louis Coffin Co., and member of the Board of Freeholders which framed the new charter for St. Louis, and United States District Attorney Francis M. Wilson of Kansas City last night announced themselves candidates for the Democratic nomination for Governor. There are nine announced candidates for the nomination, including these two.

Neither announcement was unexpected. Gardner two months ago said in a speech at Columbia he would not be a candidate because he feared that his candidacy would cause a fight on the Gardner land bank bill, but reports during the past two weeks have been that he would be in the race.

The two new candidates have elements of strength which are recognized by their opponents, and their entry into the race is expected materially to change the support some of the other candidates have been counting on.

Gardner's support of a land bank bill, which will be voted on under the initiative at the November election, and which provides for a State land bank from which farmers can borrow money at low interest rates, has brought to him a large following among farmers. His supporters also contend that his standing as a business man will attract the support of business men.

Gardner also has a following among union labor men, as a result of his action in February, 1913, in signing the bonds of P. J. Morin and John Barry, St. Louis labor leaders convicted at Indianapolis in dynamite cases. Several months ago his firm was placed on the unfair list, but union labor leaders publicly said it should not be there, and that Gardner had always been fair to union labor.

Wilson has a recognized strength in Kansas City, West and Northwest Missouri. Politicians say that he has the support of United States Senator James A. Reed and William J. Stone, and also has much of the Major element with him. It is known that Senators Reed and Stone have long been searching for a candidate to run against that Jefferson City group of office seekers, and that they are friendly to Wilson.

Wilson served two terms as State Senator and was not severely criticised during either term. He was one of the leaders in the fight for home rule for St. Louis. He voted for the county unit local option, which was passed by the legislature and later defeated when submitted to a popular vote under the referendum. This proposition was favored by the anti-saloon element. He explained his vote in a statement that a majority of the counties in his district were dry and that he was voting the sentiment of a majority of his constituents.

Gardner and Wilson enter a field of candidates which includes Secretary of State Cornelius Roach, Attorney-General John T. Barker, Lieutenant-Governor William R. Painter, United States Subtreasurer Vandiver, James A. Houchin of Jefferson City, the Rev. Arthur Lindsay of Clinton and Chairman John M. Atkinson of the Missouri Public Service Commission.

Gardner made his announcement in a letter to Matt W. Hall, a farmer at Marshall, who was Warden of the Missouri penitentiary during the administration of Gov. Folk. In it Gardner pledges himself to make the land bank operative if he becomes Governor, to use convicts in building public roads, to investigate the railroad question from a business, economic and nonpartisan standpoint and to attempt to adjust it. His letter urges the necessity of river improvements and calls attention to the water rate from New York to the Pacific Coast, which is $1.50 per 100 pounds, and to the fact that St. Louis has only a railroad rate, which is $3.

Gardner says he never expects to be a candidate for any other office, and that, if elected, he will conduct the State business on efficient, business-like and economical lines. He includes among his pledges a budget system for State finances, by which the expenditures will be limited to the income, and overappropriations prevented.

Wilson, in announcing his candidacy, did not promulgate a platform. He issued the following formal statement from his home in Platte City.

"I have decided to become a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor. This decision has been reached as the result of the apparent existence for some time of a desire among Democrats generally throughout the state, and particularly in this section, that I become a candidate for the nomination. From this feeling, not originating with me, nor furthered to the extent of a letter or personal solicitation, I am inclined to believe that there exists a popular desire for me to become a candidate.

"Seriously contemplating entrance into this contest, I deemed it proper to inquire of the Attorney-General of the United States if my resignation would be accepted in view of the business in the office of the United States attorney. To this inquiry I have been recently advised that such resignation is not desired, provided public business does not suffer by reason of my candidacy for the nomination. This conclusion leads me to believe that it would be unwelcome for me to summarily abandon important pending business over which I have assumed personal charge, and so I will retain my present office until it becomes advisable to the Department of Justice to accept my resignation.

"As it is necessarily impossible to actively enter the campaign for some time, I invoke the efforts of those Democrats who may believe that my nomination will contribute to ultimate party success. From time to time I shall state my views on all questions of moment to the public.

"During the pendency of what promises to be a spirited contest for the high office of Governor by those who are imbued with the same laudable ambition which animates me, it will be my desire to treat them with that consideration which my friendship for each inspires."

COMMISSIONS ON BELL SLOT PHONES WILL BE CURTAILED

After April 1 Only Druggists and Certain Others Will Receive Bonus.

The Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Co. (the Bell) has sent out letters to small store owners and citizens having coin telephones, notifying them that after April 1 the company will not pay commissions on the receipts in the coin boxes. The company will continue to pay commissions to about 1850 druggists and persons having coin telephones in prominent locations.

Officials of the company said yesterday there were in service approximately 5000 two-party coin telephones on which a guarantee of 10 cents a day was required from the subscriber and on which the company paid the subscriber a commission of 20 per cent on all received from his telephone above the guarantee. There were also 1000 direct-line coin telephones on which a guarantee of 15 cents a day was required and on which a commission of 40 per cent was paid for amounts above the guarantee. There also were 1850 direct-line coin telephones with a 15 cents a day guarantee and on which a 20 per cent commission was paid.

These latter, which are in drug stores and other conspicuous locations, will be continued on the same basis, but the commission will not be paid after April 1 on the other telephones.

Officials of the company said that the telephones from which the commission is withdrawn hardly ever exceeded the guarantee in receipts, and that the change in system would not affect many subscribers. There are many public station telephones on which the company pays the subscriber from $20 to $25 a month in commissions. Officials said these commissions were considered as rent and payment for services in making change for persons wishing to use a public telephone.

JUDGES RECEIVE AUDIT OF BOOKS OF 4 COURT OFFICIALS

Sheriff's Receipts Were $243,886.48 From Jan. 1, 1913, to Dec. 20, 1915.

The report of James B. Campbell, an expert accountant, who was employed by the Mayor and the Circuit Judges to audit the books of four public officials, was submitted yesterday to the Judges in general session. The audit embraced the books in the offices of Circuit Clerk Charles R. Graves, Clerk of the Court of Criminal Causes Henry Echterhoff, Clerk of the Court of Criminal Correction Ferdinand I. Knittel, and Sheriff Joseph F. Dickmann. The report sets forth that the money received by the various officers has been properly accounted for in the period covered by the investigation.

The audit of the Sheriff's books included the period from Jan. 1, 1913, to Dec. 20, 1915. The receipts for that period amounted to $243,886.48 and the expenditure $243,240.08. The expenditures consisted of salary to Sheriff Dickmann aggregating $29,166.67, for deputies and clerk hire $200,171.46; Sheriff's attorney, $5700; interest and exchange, $1622.97, and miscellaneous $6578.98. The Sheriff's office is a fee office, but he can not, under the law, retain more than $10,000 a year as his individual salary.

Deputy's Shortage Mentioned.

The report refers to an original shortage of a Deputy Sheriff of $6338.18, which has been reduced to $3340.45.

"The disbursements of the Sheriff were supported by properly approved payrolls, expense bills and other data," Campbell set forth. "The bills payable have been duly confirmed by the banks and accounts payable have been paid to the proper parties. The system of accounting in operation in this office, while maintaining a clear record of every transaction, involves much laborious tabulation and unnecessary duplication. I have suggested to the Sheriff various improvements in the matter of his accounting, which he has instructed me to put into operation, and the installation thereof is now in progress."

Echterhoff's books were examined for the year ending Dec. 31, 1915, as were also the books in the offices of Graves and Knittel.

The accountant says he found that Echterhoff's office had received fees amounting to $11,622.40. The report reads: "Deposits, most frequently in parole cases, are accepted by the Clerk of the Court of Criminal Causes where the costs are imposed, but payment thereof deferred until a future date. These deposits are not recorded on the clerk's cash book, but a notation of their amounts appear on his daily cash blotter and on the file or cause number to which they apply. It is certainly desirable that the deposits received in the manner hereinbefore described be recorded on the clerk's cash book and a deposit account carried therefor on the clerk's ledger."

The accountant says that in counting the cash in Echterhoff's office it developed that the clerk was carrying in his cash drawer memoranda of advances to officers and employes, "which, in many instances, bore no date."

The audit of Circuit Clerk Graves' books showed that the fees collected by his office amounted to $85,326.47. Of this, $79,291.60 was paid out in salaries. A surplus of $3330.47 was remitted to the City Treasurer Jan. 6, 1916. In addition to the income recorded, the Circuit Clerk collected $33,797.59 in fees to be applied upon the salaries of the Circuit Judges and courtroom stenographers and to the jury fund.

The report shows that the Circuit Clerk has $2463 on hand in unclaimed witness fees and $2571 in unclaimed special jury fees. He also is carrying a fund amounting to $5523 belonging to former Sheriffs, which he is holding for a final statement of receipts and disbursements. This fund is divided as follows: Patrick H. Clarke, $850.59; J. F. Dickman (for former term), $582.35; John Finn, $3.70; H. Harrington, $31.19; Isaac M. Mason, $2.90; Louis Nolte, $3862.15; John H. Pohlmann, $27.35; P. M. Stead, $134.70, and Henry Troll, $53.95. It is suggested that steps be taken to dispose of this balance in regard to the Circuit Clerk's books, the accountant says: "I am satisfied that all costs imposed have either been collected or satisfactorily accounted for."

Knittel's books also were found in good shape, with funds properly accounted for, the report recites.

ONE APPLICANT FOR $100 JOB

Frank B. Edelmann Scores 93.5 for Industrial School Position.

Frank B. Edelmann of 2251 Minnesota avenue is the only person on the eligible list prepared by the Efficiency Board from which a manual training instructor at the Industrial School, at $100 a month, will be selected. Edelmann was the only applicant for the position at examinations conducted Feb. 21, and qualified with a grade of 93.5 per cent.

The Efficiency Board yesterday announced the eligible list of legal stenographers. Miss Cora M. Badger of 4166 Botanical avenue ranked first, with a grade of 96.9. Miss Mary Agnes Brennan ranked second with a grade of 93.6, and Victor Hogan ranked third with a grade of 92.9. Thirteen applicants made the required grade of 80 per cent, and only two of them were men.

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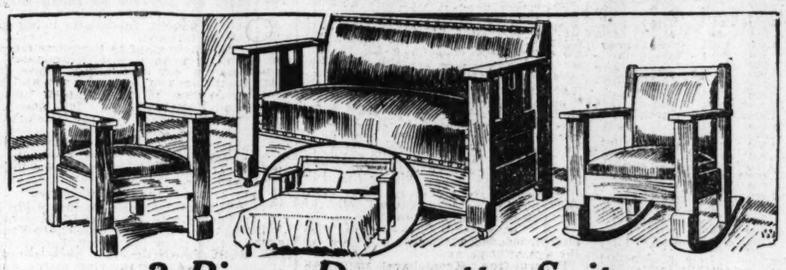
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Sweetheart Toilet Soap, 4 cakes for	15c
Gloss Starch; best white lump; 8 pounds for	25c
Laundry Tablets; Linowhite; worth 5c; per package	3c
Naptha Washing Powder; Gold Medal brand; large package, 3 pounds each; per package	10c
Kitchen Klenzer, 4 cans for	15c
The Waldorf Toilet Paper, 4 rolls for	15c
Cocoa Door Mats; large No. 2 size; worth 65c; each	50c
Wonder Shine Polish, for furniture, pianos and autos; in ½-pint, pint and quart bottles; per bottle, 20c, 38c and	68
Roach Destroyer; Red Devil; will absolutely rid your premises of roaches and waterbugs when properly applied; regular 25c and 50c sizes, per can, 20c and	38c
Morton's Free Running Salt; worth 10c; per package	6c
Rolled White Oats and Steel Cut Oatmeal, 2 pounds for	10c
Vision Pancake Flour; self-rising; worth 10c package; 3 packages for	20c
Kellogg's Bran; cooked; worth 25c; per package	20c
Quaker Toasted Corn Flakes; worth 8c; per package	5c
Quaker F. S. Farina; worth 10c; per package	7
Quaker Macaroni and Spaghetti; finest American; lenten special; 10c size; 2 packages for	15c
Whole Grain Rice; extra fancy Blue Rose Texas; worth 8c; per pound	5c
Clean Broken Rice; fancy Louisiana; worth 5c pound; 3 pounds for	10c
New Coarse Pearl Barley; worth 5c pound; 3 pounds for	10c
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Sultana Raisins; California extra fancy bleached; worth 18c; per pound	15c
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Soft Shell Walnuts; new French Marbots; 2 pounds for	25c
Sweet Early June Peas; Wisconsin Sauk City brand; 2 cans for	15c
Sweet Sugar Corn; Belle of Iowa brand; 2 cans for	15c
Asparagus Tips; California; Carmelo brand; large flat can; worth 20c; per can	17c
Monarch Baked Beans, with pork, in tomato sauce; No. 2 size; per can	8c
Wet Shrimp; Impaco brand; 2 cans for	15c
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Smoked Beef Tongues; sugar-cured; worth 25c; per pound	27c
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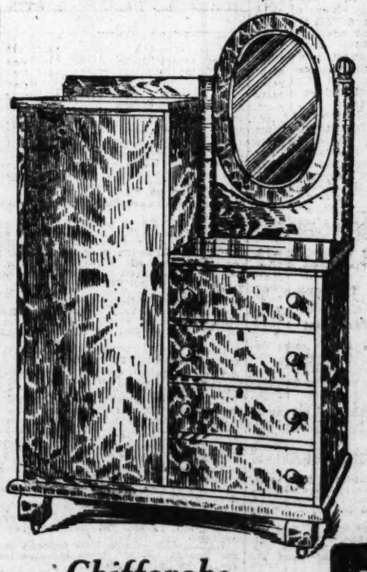
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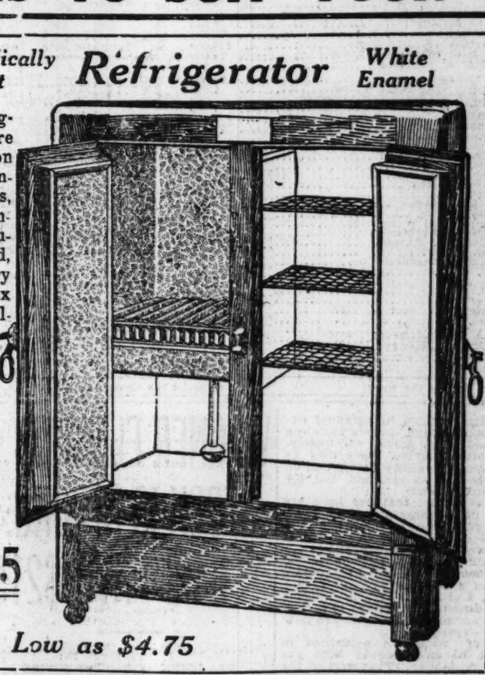
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CHURCH NOTICES

ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Lindell boulevard and Spring avenue. Rev. Z. B. Phillips, D. D., rector. Holy communion, 7:45 a. m. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Holy communion and sermon by the rector, 11 a. m. Evensong and address, 4:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited. (c)

UNION METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Delmar at Grand. Grant A. Robbins, pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Evening subject, "The Most Valuable Thing in the World." Inspiring music.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH, 616 North Newstead avenue. Sunday evening, at 7:45, Evangelist D. F. Miller will speak on the subject, "The Millennium After the War or After the Coming of Christ. Which?" There is much conjecture regarding the outcome of Europe's great war. The Bible answers this question perfectly. Come and hear. All are welcome.

Y. W. C. A.

Fiftieth anniversary service. Miss Mary McElroy, former worker in India, will speak on "The Source of Our Power," Sunday, March 5, in the large gymnasium; special music and jubilee program. (c)

SPIRITUALISM

SPIRITUALISM. Every Monday, 2 p. m. and Friday, 8 p. m. Mrs. Reidt, 4040B Easton.

SPIRITUALISM. Meetings every Tuesday 2 p. m., Thursday 8 p. m. 2931 Cass, Mrs. Johnson.

SPIRITUALISM. Lectures, messages, Wednesday, Friday, 8 p. m., Thursday, 2 p. m. 2519 Glasgow.

SPIRITUALISM, Meeting Tuesday, Friday, 2 p. m.; Thursday evening, 8 o'clock. Mrs. Gibley, 1506A Elliot.

CHURCH OF MODERN SPIRITUALISM—Every Sunday at 2:30. 3607 N. Eleventh street. Mrs. E. Stricker.

SPIRITUALISM. 5954 Bartmer avenue. Services, messages, Thursday, 8 p. m. Mrs. Katheryne Graham. (99)

CHURCH DIVINE INSPIRATION, 6140 Bartmer, meets Sunday evening, at 2:30. Pastor Sutter. (99)

SPIRITUALISM—All welcome Wieser's Hall, 2002 East Grand, tonight. John Stolz. Central 9797. (c)

SPIRITUALIST meeting every Wednesday night, at 8:30; Thursday afternoon, 2:30. 1114A Park. (c99)

IDEAL SPIRITUAL SOCIETY. Meetings every Tuesday, 2:30. Medium home daily. Mrs. Rosa, 1525 Carr street.

UNIVERSAL SPIRITUALISTS' CHURCH. Service 8 p. m., 3682 Olive; speaking. Messages, Mrs. Davis Johnson.

SPIRITUALISM. Meetings Sunday evening, Wednesday, 2 p. m., Friday evening. Medium Daniels, 4611A Easton.

SPIRITUALISM—919 N. Compton. Mrs. Thompson. Meetings Tuesday night, Friday afternoon and Friday night. Sunday night.

SPIRITUALISM—Mrs. F. Dettloff will have test circle at reading rooms, Occult Spiritual Society, 3752 Olive street, Wednesday, 3:30 p. m.

CHURCH DIVINE INSPIRATION, 6140 Bartmer, meets Sunday, Wednesday, at 2:30. Poston Sutter. (99)

CHURCH OF DIVINE INSPIRATION. Meetings at 6200 Bartmer avenue, Sunday, Wednesday, 2:30. Pastor Sutter. (99)

SPIRITUALISM. Services Sunday, 8 p. m., Tuesday, 2 to 4 p. m., Friday, 8 p. m. Mrs. M. La Barre, pastor, 2005 East Grand. (c99)

NEW THOUGHT SPIRITUALIST CHURCH. Services 8 p. m., 3431 Franklin. Admission free. Mrs. Asamann. Services Tuesday 2:30, Thursday evening.

CHURCH OF DIVINE INSPIRATION OF AMERICA, Hope Hall, Texas and Cherokee. Sunday, 2:30 o'clock. Wednesday, 2567 Humphrey street. Mrs. M. B. Becktold, pastor. Welcome.

FIRST CHURCH FRATERNAL SPIRITUALIST holds services 4700 Easton, Marcus Hall, Sunday 2:30, evening 8 o'clock. Address by Rev. Mary Hunter; messages by our medium.

SPIRITUALISM—Every Sunday night, Debrecht's Hall, McNair and Lynch. Next Friday afternoon, lecture to women only by Dr. Vierling, same hall. Messages, Mrs. Dr. Vierling.

SPIRITUALISM—The Occult Spiritualist Society, 3752 Olive street, meets tonight, 8 o'clock sharp. The largest society in St. Louis. Special lecture by Mr. Ellis. Tests by various mediums. All welcome. Admission free.

CHRISTIAN SPIRITUALIST ASSOCIATION holds services Sunday and Tuesday evening, 8:30, 9231/2 North Compton. Change of residence Thursday to 3041 Washington avenue. Mrs. A. Manley.

DEATHS

Death notices, first 8 lines or less, $1; each extra line 15c; memoriams, etc., 20c per line.

BOLZ—Entered into rest suddenly, on Thursday, March 2, 1916, at 5 p. m., Carl J. Bolz, dear husband of Laura Bolz (nee Gilligan), dear father of Charles Bolz, dear son of Mrs. Otto Bolz, dear brother of Mrs. Marie Quayle, Otto, Rudolf, George, Frederick, Margaret and Clara Bolz, and dear son-in-law and brother-in-law, in his thirty-sixth year.

Funeral on Monday, March 6, at 2 p. m. from chapel of George Kriegshauser U. Co., 4102 Manchester avenue, to Bethania Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Motor.

Marshall (Mo.) papers please copy. (c)

BREUNIG—Entered into rest on Friday, March 3, 1916, at 8:50 p. m., Blanche Breunig (nee Street), beloved wife of August Breunig, and dear daughter of Mrs. C. N. Street, and our dear daughter-in-law and sister-in-law, at the age of 34 years.

Funeral Monday, March 6, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence, 2803 Scott avenue, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. (c7)

BRODERICK—Entered into rest on Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 4:30 a. m., Thomas J. Broderick, beloved son of James and Ann Broderick (nee O'Loughlin), and dear brother of Mary, John and the late William J. Broderick, after a lingering illness.

Funeral Monday, March 6, at 8:30 a. m., from family residence, 1524 North Tenth street, to St. Patrick's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. (c)

BUCKLEY—Entered into rest Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 6:20 a. m., John F. Buckley, beloved husband of Bert Buckley (nee Birk), dear father of Dorothy Buckley, and dear brother and brother-in-law.

Funeral on Monday, at 8:30 a. m., from Wagoner undertaking parlors, 3600 Olive street, to St. Roch's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Motor. (c)

CHACKES—On Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 10 a. m., Alexander Chackes, beloved husband of Kate Chackes (nee Pattiz), and dear father of Emanuel, Louis, Leah and Woolf Chackes.

Funeral from family residence, 4352A Page boulevard, on Sunday, March 5, at 12:30 p. m. No flowers. Carriages. (c)

CHRISTMANN—Entered into rest on Friday, March 3, 1916, at 5:10 p. m., Joseph H. Christmann, beloved husband of Amelia Christmann (nee Westerheide), our dear brother-in-law, uncle and cousin, after a short illness, in the age of 61 years 6 months and 15 days.

Funeral on Monday, March 6, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence, 1936 Hebert street, to Bethlehem Evangelical Lutheran Church, thence to St. John's Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend. (c7)

CUMMINGS—Entered into rest Friday, March 3, 1916, at 5:15 p. m., Mary A. Cummings, dear mother of John, Monroe, Joseph and Frank Cummings, and Mrs. Ellen Potts, our dear mother-in-law, grandmother and great-grandmother, in her eighty-ninth year.

Funeral on Monday, March 6, at 7:30 a. m., from the residence, 4336R Swan avenue, to Tower Grove Station, thence via St. L. & S. F. R. R. to Steelville, Mo., for interment. (c)

DE CHARLES—Entered into rest on Friday, March 3, 1916, at 9:30 a. m., David de Charles, relict of Elmira de Charles, and dear father of Mrs. Lizzie Graham, Mrs. Mary Blake, Mrs. J. Rourke, Mrs. A. Wilke and the late Mrs. Louisa La Blanche, and our dear father, grandfather and great-grandfather, after a lingering illness.

Funeral on Monday, March 6, at 8:30 a. m., from family residence, 2466 Emerson avenue, to the Church of the Nativity, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. (c7)

DOLLENBERG—Entered into rest on Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 11:55 a. m., Minnie Dollenberg (nee Mertz), beloved wife of Charles Dollenberg, dear mother of Miss Louise and Mrs. Minnie La Flam, and our dear mother-in-law, grandmother, sister and aunt, aged 67 years.

Funeral from residence, 2510 North Twenty-second street, Tuesday, March 7, at 1:30 p. m. Funeral private. Carriages.

Baltimore and Dayton (O.) papers please copy. (c1)

DUERLING—Entered into rest, suddenly, on Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 8:30 a. m., George Duerling, aged 39 years.

Funeral on Monday, March 6, at 2 p. m., from Hauck & Schmitt's parlors, Grand avenue and Wyoming street. Motor. (c)

FRANKE—Entered into rest on Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 6 a. m., Margaret Franke (nee Moesser), and dear mother of Joseph, Henry, Ferdinand and Mrs. Hooman Oxmann (nee Franke), and our dear mother-in-law and grandmother, at the age of 65 years.

Funeral will take place on Monday, March 6, at 9 a. m., from residence of her son-in-law, Herman Oxmann, 4258 Goodfellow avenue, to St. Paul the Apostle's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend. (c7)

GOULDING—On Thursday, March 2, 1916, at 5:45 a. m., Ellen Goulding, beloved wife of James Goulding, and dear mother of Walter and Margaret Hoban, aged 52 years.

Funeral Monday, March 6, at 8:15 a. m., from Witt Bros.' establishment, 809 Hickory street, to St. Vincent de Paul's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

Springfield (Mo.) papers please copy. (c)

GRUNWALD—Entered into rest Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 3:10 a. m., Carl Grunwald, beloved father of Caroline Reber, August, Emil, Frank and Herman Grunwald and Minnie Degeare, dear father-in-law of Fred Reber and Elizabeth Grunwald (nee Guenzler), Rosie Grunwald (nee Kienle), Lillie Grunwald (nee Sleeter) and Charles Degeare, dear grandfather of Norbert and Hilda Reber, Carl and Clemens Grunwald, Wilbur and Wanda Degeare, in his eighty-first year.

Funeral Monday at 2:30 p. m., from residence, 6227 Gravois avenue, to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. (c7)

HABERMAN—Entered into rest on Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 6:45 p. m., William Haberman, at the age of 68 years, beloved husband of Rosetta Haberman, dear father of T. W. Haberman, Mrs. Fred Conhaim, Miss Hattye Haberman and Mrs. I. D. Magnes and Mrs. Maurice Strauss.

Due notice of funeral will be given. (c)

HALES—Entered into rest Wednesday, March 1, 1916, at 11:50 p. m., Mrs. David Hales (nee Riley), beloved wife of the late David Hales, mother of Hannah Obernier (nee Hales), Ida Davis (nee Hales), Frances Clemman (nee Hales), Edward, John and Joe Hales and the late Margaret Cook (nee Hales), at the age of 65 years.

Funeral from Julius H. Schmitt's chapel, 1817 Sidney street, on Monday, March 6, 1916, at 2 p. m., to Holy Family Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

Cincinnati (O.) papers please copy.

HARMON—Entered into rest, suddenly, on Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 12:50 p. m., Richard B. Harmon, beloved husband of Jennie Harmon (nee Varies), and dear father of Varies, Richard B. Jr. and William J. Harmon, at the age of 46 years.

Funeral Tuesday, March 7, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 4479 Morgan street. Motor.

St. James (Mo.) papers please copy. (c)

JOERDING—Entered into rest Friday, March 3, 1916, at 3:30 p. m., Marie Joerding (nee Leeker), beloved wife of the late Henry Joerding, beloved mother of Augusta Kombrink (nee Joerding), Edward and Louis Joerding, and our dear mother-in-law, grandmother and great-grandmother, at the age of 85 years 9 months and 3 days.

Funeral will take place on Monday, March 6, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 1457 Chambers street, to St. Peter's Church, Warne and St. Louis avenues, thence to St. Peter's Cemetery. (c)

KARAS—Entered into rest, suddenly, on Friday, March 3, 1916, Frank J. Karas, beloved son of Frank and Josephine Karas, and brother of Caroline and Elsie Karas.

Funeral from family residence, 4300 Arsenal street, on Monday, March 6, at 2 p. m., to Missouri Crematory. Motor. (c7)

KASSEN—Entered into rest on Friday, March 3, 1916, at 6:50 a. m., Charlotte Kassen, aged 88 years, beloved mother of Marie Stiegemeyer (nee Kassen), mother-in-law of Henry Stiegemeyer, and our dear grandmother, great-grandmother and aunt.

Funeral on Sunday, March 5, at 2 p. m., from residence, 2326 Benton street, to Zion Cemetery. Funeral private. Omit flowers. (c)

KECK—Entered into rest on Friday, March 3, 1916, at 1:30 p. m., Lulu Keck, beloved daughter of John W. and Louise Keck (nee Emshoff), and dear sister of Mrs. H. F. Schaepeerkoetter, Mrs. George F. Kuehn, Mrs. Aug. Thuel, Mrs. George Dierker and Mrs. W. G. Witte (nee Keck), and our dear sister-in-law and aunt.

Funeral from family residence, 1206 Monroe street, Monday, March 6, at 2 p. m. Carriages. (c7)

KLEIN—Entered into rest on Friday, March 3, 1916, at 8:20 a. m., Conrad Klein, beloved father of Harold and Aubrey Klein, beloved son of William and the late Mary Klein, dear brother of Mrs. William Pilgrim, William and Harry Klein, our dear uncle and brother-in-law.

Funeral Monday, March 6, at 1:30 p. m., from the Kron chapel, 2707 N. Grand avenue, thence to St. Peter's Cemetery. Motor. Friends respectfully invited. (c)

LUGTON—On Friday, March 3, 1916, Matilda Lugton, wife of J. T. Lugton, mother of W. E. Gentry, after a long illness.

Funeral from C. R. Lupton's funeral parlors, 4400 Olive street, at 2:30 p. m. Sunday, March 5, to Valhalla Cemetery.

McKEAN—Entered into rest on Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 2:15 a. m., Violet May McKean, beloved daughter of Luther and Florence McKean (nee Fischer).

Funeral from the residence of her grandmother, Mrs. Henry Fischer, 4825 Cote Brilliante avenue, on Monday, March 6, at 9:30 a. m. Interment in SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Private. (c)

McMATH—On Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 8 p. m., at his residence, 502 Bompart avenue, Webster Groves, Robert H. McMath, beloved husband of Mary McMath (nee Rosborough).

Due notice of funeral will be given.

MAURER—Entered into rest Friday, March 3, 1916, at 2:15 a. m., Elizabeth Maurer (nee Hegel), beloved mother of Mrs. Helen Fieber and our dear grandmother and great-grandmother, at the age of 83 years.

Funeral Monday, March 6, from family residence, 1911 South Jefferson avenue, at 2 p. m. (c)

MILLER—On Monday, Feb. 28, 1916, George W. Miller, formerly of St. Louis.

Funeral services and interment at Taylorville, Ill., March 1, from the residence of Dr. C. L. Carroll.

NEUSTETER—On Friday, March 3, 1916, at 8 a. m., Abraham Neusteter, beloved father of Mrs. Jacob Gross, Mrs. Edward Cohen, Mrs. J. B. Levie, Max D., Harry, Meyer and Edward Neusteter.

Funeral from residence of Mrs. Gross, 4653 Vernon avenue, on Sunday, March 5, at 2 p. m. No flowers. (c)

O'CONNELL—Entered into rest at the family residence, 459 N. B street, East St. Louis, Ill., Marie Louise O'Connell (nee Hamill), dear wife of James W. O'Connell and daughter of William Gray and Mary Gray (nee McElligott.)

Funeral Monday, March 6, at 8 a. m. to St. Patrick's Church, thence to Mt. Carmel Cemetery. May her soul rest in peace. (c7)

O'NEILL—Entered into rest on Friday, March 3, 1916, at 7:30 a. m., John O'Neill, dearly beloved husband of Bridget O'Neill (nee Curran), beloved father of James, Thomas and William O'Neill, Mrs. Wildt, Mrs. Kahrhoff, Mrs. Hartwig (nee O'Neill), dear father-in-law, grandfather and great-grandfather.

Funeral will take place on Monday, March 6, at 8:30 a. m., from family residence, 4121 North Twentieth street, to Holy Name Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Deceased was a member of United Railways Relief Association. (c7)

PAPIN—On Friday, March 3, 1916, at 8 p. m., Theophile Papin Jr., eldest son of the late Theophile Papin and Julie Henri Papin.

Funeral Monday, March 6, at 9:30 a. m., at St. Francis Xavier's Church. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

QUINN—On Friday, March 3, 1916, at 8:10 p. m., Peter Quinn, beloved husband of Sarah Quinn (nee Murphy), dear father of Marie Quinn, and dear brother of Bernard Quinn and Mrs. Mary Westhaus (nee Quinn), and our dear uncle.

Funeral from family residence, 7023 Minnesota avenue, on Monday, March 6, at 8:30 a. m., to SS. Mary and Joseph's Church, thence to Mount Olive Cemetery. Carriages. Deceased was a member of B. of L. F. and E. No. 390. (c7)

RAACK—On Saturday, Feb. 26, 1916, at National Home, Danville, Ill., John Raack, aged 71 years, husband of Mary Raack (nee Roebken), and our dear father.

Funeral at National Home. (c)

RENKEL—Entered into rest on Friday, March 3, 1916, at 5 p. m., Mary Renkel (nee Seibold), beloved wife of John L. Renkel, mother of Albert, Henry and Edward Renkel, Mrs. George Greeley and Mrs. Fred Sears, and our dear grandmother, aged 60 years 8 months and 10 days.

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 4284 Evans avenue, on Monday, March 6, at 2 p. m., to Bethania Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. (c)

SCHMIDT—At Asheville, N. C., after a lingering illness, Edward G. A. Schmidt, beloved son of the late John and Barbara Schmidt, dear brother of William, Henry, George, Fred and Mrs. Doyce Miller, and our dear brother-in-law and uncle, at the age of 29 years.

Funeral Tuesday, March 7, 1916, at 1:30 p. m., from the residence of Fred Schmidt, 3126 Leola avenue.

SCHRICKER—Entered into rest on Friday, March 3, 1916, at 6:10 p. m., Minnie Schricker.

Funeral from residence, 1334 Union boulevard, Sunday, March 5, at 3:30 p. m. to Missouri Crematory. Motor. Incineration private.

SCHULTZ—Entered into rest on Friday, March 3, 1916, at 4:45 p. m., Henry C. Schultz, beloved husband of Ida S. Schultz (nee Schaper), our beloved father, son, brother and brother-in-law, after a short illness, at the age of 54 years 2 months and 26 days.

Funeral Tuesday, March 7, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence, 2945 Dodier street, to Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church, thence to New Bethlehem Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited. Motor. (c1)

STAFFORD—Entered into rest Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 2:35 p. m., Henry William Stafford, dearly beloved husband of Mary A. Stafford (nee Fulkerson), beloved son of William and Louisa Stafford, and dear brother of Ottellia A. Stafford.

Funeral Tuesday, March 7, at 1 p. m., from family residence, 4757 Cote Brilliante avenue, to Hope Congregational Church, corner Semple and Cote Brilliante avenues. Friends invited. Interment private to Bellefontaine Cemetery. Motor.

TARPY—Entered into rest at Chicago, Ill., on Tuesday, Feb. 29, 1916, Charles P. Tarpy, beloved son of the late John and Marria Tarpy, dear brother of Edw. A. Tarpy, Mrs. A. L. Spinks, Mrs. Nellie Hinchey, Mrs. P. F. Fogarty, father of Clarence and Edw. Tarpy, dear brother-in-law and uncle.

Buried Thursday, March 2, at Chicago, Ill.

THORN—Passed on, Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 2 a. m., Ida G. Thorn (nee Smith), beloved wife of F. E. Thorn, at the age of 57 years.

Funeral from Kron chapel, 2707 North Grand avenue, Monday, March 6, at 3 p. m., to Missouri Crematory. Motor. (c)

TRACY—Entered into rest on Friday, March 3, 1916, at 7 p. m., Mrs. Nellie Tracy (nee Phillips), beloved wife of James J. Tracy, and sister of Mrs. Robert Bielefield and Mrs. Joseph Doran, and our dear aunt.

Funeral from Cullinane Bros.' funeral parlors, 1710 North Grand avenue, on Monday, March 6, at 8:30 a. m. to St. Bridget's Church. Interment in Calvary Cemetery. (c)

VAN LEUVEN—Entered into rest on Friday, March 3, 1916, at 4:15 p. m., Anna E. Van Leuven (nee Hollocher), beloved wife of the late Charles D. Van Leuven, and dear mother of Clifford J. Van Leuven, and sister of Aaron J. Hollocher.

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 2709 St. Louis avenue, on Monday, March 6, at 8:30 a. m., to the Sacred Heart Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. Motor. (c)

WALSH—Entered into rest on Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 11:50 a. m., Alberta Walsh, daughter of Alena Walsh, at the age of 11 years and 6 months.

Funeral will take place on Monday, March 6, at 9 a. m.

WEIS—Entered into rest on Friday, March 3, 1916, at 10:30 a. m., Mary Magdeline Weis, beloved wife of Martin Weis, dear mother of William Weis, Sophia Goedde (nee Weis), Ed Weis, Katherine Weis, after a short illness, at the age of 68 years.

Funeral on Monday, March 6, 1916, at 8:30 a. m., from family residence, 3933 Cote Brilliante avenue, to Holy Ghost Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited. (c)

WEISS—Entered into rest on Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 11:50 a. m., at the age of 4 years 4 months and 4 days, Theresa Weiss (nee Mattinger), beloved wife of Ludwig Weiss, and dear mother of Louis A., George M., Magdalene and Anthony Weiss, after a short illness.

Funeral Tuesday, March 7, at 7:30 a. m., from residence, 2346 Texas avenue, to St. Francis de Sales' Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

WENTZ—Entered into rest on Friday, March 3, 1916, at 2 p. m., Everett E. Wentz, beloved son of Edward Wentz and Lily Wentz (nee Frey), dear brother of Edna Sehnert (nee Wentz), dear brother-in-law of John P. Sehnert and dear uncle of Elna Sehnert, at the age of 19 years.

Funeral from Gebken chapel, 2846 Miramec street, on Monday, March 6, at 2 p. m., to New St. Marcus' Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Motor.

Peoria and Edwardsville (Ill.) papers please copy. (c)

WIENANN—Entered into rest on Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 11:30 a. m., Laura Wienann, beloved daughter of Lena Wienann, beloved sister-in-law of Amelia Wienann (nee Caplinger) and Martha Wienann and sister of John Wienann.

Funeral from residence of her sister, Mrs. Caplinger, 5351 Garfield avenue, Tuesday, March 7, at 2 p. m. Deceased was a member of Harmony Council, No. 618, Knights and Ladies of Security.

WILSON—Entered into rest on Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 1:15 p. m., John Wilson, beloved husband of Mary Wilson (nee Brandin), dear father of Ollie, Robert, Harry Wilson and Mrs. Lillie Kallak, and our dear grandfather, aged 81 years.

Funeral from residence, 3525 North Newstead avenue, on Tuesday, March 7, at 2 p. m., to St. Peter's Cemetery. Friends invited. (c1)

WUNSCH—Entered into rest Saturday, March 4, 1916, at 4:30 a. m., Charles Wunsch, beloved husband of Sophie Wunsch (nee Lanfer), dear father of Emma Wunsch, Mrs. Mamie Frank, Mrs. Annie Doerr, Mrs. Clara Frank, Ella Wunsch, Mrs. Kate Loewenstein and John Roedel, and our brother, brother-in-law, father-in-law, grandfather and uncle, in his sixty-ninth year.

Funeral from residence, 1709 S. Broadway, Monday, March 6, at 2 p. m., to New St. Marcus' Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Motor. (c)

ZANGRAFT—Entered into rest Friday, March 3, 1916, at 4:30 a. m., Mary F. Zangraft (nee Gorman), beloved wife of Frederick Zangraft, our dear mother, grandmother, sister and aunt, aged 44 years.

Funeral from residence, 1616½ North Ninth street, Monday, March 6, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Peter's Cemetery. (c96)

Card of Thanks.

I wish to thank my many friends for their kind expression of sympathy tendered me in my late bereavement, the death of my husband, Ernest Gamache, and also for the beautiful floral offerings.
MRS. DELLA GAMACHE and
BROTHER RAYMOND REYNOLDS.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the minister for his consoling words in sympathy in the loss of husband and father, C. L. Parkapill; also the friends and beautiful floral offerings.
EFFIE PARKAPILL, Wife, and KENNETH PARKAPILL, Son.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to extend our heartfelt thanks in the sad bereavement of the loss of our dear father and grandfather, Gottfried Rau, to Rev. T. Oberheliman for his consoling words, to the pallbearers and Math. Herman & Sons, undertakers; also to friends and relatives for their beautiful floral offerings.
HENRY RAU AND FAMILY.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank all of our relatives and friends for the sympathy shown us in our last sad bereavement in the loss of our dear daughter and sister, Theresia Schomaker; especially the Revs. Father Lubeley, Westhus and Eggermann; also for the many floral offerings.
HERMAN SCHOMAKER AND FAMILY. (c)

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for their sympathy and kindness shown us in our late sad bereavement in the loss of our dear son and brother, Walker F. Sharp; also for the many beautiful floral offerings.
THE BEREAVED FAMILY. (c)

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for their kind expressions of sympathy, shown us in our sad bereavement, in the loss of my dear husband and father, Walter L. Francis; also to the Rev. Dr. Simon for his condolence, to Dr. Frank for his kindness, and to Clem Welck, the undertaker.
MRS. ROSE FRANCIS AND FAMILY.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our most sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for their sympathy and condolence extended, also for the beautiful floral offerings; and especially thank Rev. Chr. Daeumler for his consoling words in our sad bereavement.
MRS. LOUISE SCHIEFELBEIN AND FAMILY.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our most sincere thanks to our relatives and many friends for their kindness and sympathy shown us during our sad bereavement in the loss of our dear mother, Elizabeth Kunkel, and the many beautiful floral offerings. We especially thank the pallbearers and Pastor Haberle for his consoling words.
JOHN KUNKEL AND FAMILY.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us in our hour of bereavement, the loss of our dear son and brother, Rudolph Robolsky, and for their beautiful floral offerings; also the Rev. H. de Beer for his kind words of consolation. We also sincerely thank all those who showed us kindness during his long illness.
HIS MOTHER AND SISTERS. (c)

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our thanks to our relatives and friends for their kind expressions of sympathy during our recent sad bereavement at the loss of our dear father, Charles T. Reid; also for the beautiful floral offerings. And we especially thank Rev. Ralph McFadden for his consoling words; also the pallbearers and the undertaker for his kind and efficient service.
THE BEREAVED FAMILY.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our most sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for their kindness and sympathy shown us during our sad bereavement in the loss of our dear wife, mother and grandmother, Mary Reeg, and for the many beautiful floral offerings. We especially thank Elks for his kind and consoling words.
THE BEREAVED FAMILY, MARTIN REEG.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks for the kindness of relatives and friends shown us in our sad bereavement in the loss of my dear wife, Magdalena Hackbusch, our mother, mother-in-law and grandmother; also to Rev. H. T. Gahenen, Victoria Lodge No. 1, and Alt Deutschen Damen Club, also for the beautiful floral offerings.
ALBERT HACKBUSCH AND CHILDREN. (c)

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to relatives and friends for their kindness shown us in the sad bereavement in the loss of my dear wife and our dear mother; also for the beautiful floral offerings; the Rev. Father Tettemer for his kind words and Rev. Father Stevens for the service at cemetery; also the Altar Society of St. Paul the Apostle's Church.
FRANK WESTERHOF AND FAMILY. (c)

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our relatives and friends for their expression of sympathy and many beautiful floral offerings during our sad bereavement occasioned by the death of our dearly beloved husband and father, Daniel Zumstein, who departed this life Feb. 23, 1916. We especially thank the Revs. Dienaiser and Montgomery for their consoling words; also Anchor lodge No. 443, A. F. and A. M., Tuscan chapter No. 63, O. E. S., McKinley Council No. 955, K. & L. of Security, St. Louis Lodge No. 85, Order Columbian Knights, and employes of the Pullman Co. and Relief Association.
LOUISE ZUMSTEIN (nee DEIBEL).
HARRY ZUMSTEIN. (c)

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our relatives and friends for their kind words of sympathy and floral tributes shown us in our hour of bereavement in the loss of our dear brother and uncle, Stanislaus J. Liscekl. We especially wish to thank the Rev. Father Kelly and the Rev. Father Long of St. Agnes' Church for their kind and consoling words. We wish to thank the pallbearers for their expressions of sympathy, also Laclede Council, Knights of Columbus, Sylvan Lodge Knights and Ladies of Honor, the employes of the Terminal Railroad Co., and the members of Cottage Club, the undertaker, George E. Cobb, for his kind and efficient service.
MRS. RICHARD KRAUSE, Sister, EDWARD LISCEKI, Brother. (c)

In Memoriam.

In loving memory of my dear husband, Fred G. Wiethaupt, who departed this life one year ago, March 6, 1915.
In the graveyard softly sleeping,
Where the flowers gently wave,
Lies the one I love so dearly,
In his lonely silent grave.
Sadly missed by WIFE.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to express my most sincere thanks for the sympathy and kindness shown me in this sad hour of bereavement over the loss of my dear husband, Louis Ebeling, thanking my dear relatives and friends for the beautiful floral offerings, and the pallbearers for their kindness; also the Rev. Father Hoffschwelln for his kind words spoken; also the employes of the Brown Shoe Co. Capital plant, for the beautiful floral offering; also George L. Pleitsch for his services.
WIFE, LILLIAN EBELING.

In Memoriam.

In memory of my dear husband, who died March 7, 1915. Sadly missed by his loving wife,
BARBARA DWYER.

In Memoriam.

In loving memory of our dear friend, Fred G. Wiethaupt, who departed this life on year ago, March 6, 1915.
Gone, but not forgotten.
Sadly missed by his friends.
MR. AND MRS. W. SCHOEN AND CHILDREN.

In Memoriam.

In loving remembrance of John Lutz, who died March 6, one year ago today. You left us and our hearts are filled with pain, but in heaven's domain, in time to come, we know we shall meet again.
MRS. JUDITH LUTZ AND FRANCES O'BRIEN, your wife and daughter. (c)

In Memoriam.

In memory of my beloved husband, Alois Schober, who died March 7, 1915. The depths of my sorrow I cannot tell, At the loss of my hus

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LOST

CHILD'S FUR COLLAR—Lost, Wisconsin, between Cherokee and Wyoming, Thursday night; reward. 2423 Wisconsin av.

CUFF LINK—Lost, gold, engraved letter E; Lindell Theater or between Hebert and Barrett, on Grand; reward. Phone Tyler 1589.(c)

DOG—Lost, collie, white breast; reward. Return to 4435 Page. Telephone Forest 5966R.

DOG—Lost, small brown and tan; name Rover; no collar; reward. 3416 Salena.

DOG—Lost, English spitz poodle, white with black and white ears; good reward; no questions asked. Mrs. Hoeffner, 1534 S. 8th.

DOG—Lost, beagle hound, female, lost or stolen; yellow, with dark stripe on back; had collar on; reward. 1929 Franklin av.

DOG—Lost, little white French poodle; strayed from home in neighborhood Sunday, Feb. 20; reward. 4327 West Belle, or call Lindell 469.

DOG—Lost, collie, license on collar No. 4467, near Hamilton and Delmar; return to J. T. Moss, 6107 Von Versen av. and receive reward.

DOG—Strayed, Thursday, Feb. 24, white, male, black ears, gray spots on back, 18 inches high; last seen near orphan asylum, St. Louis. Return to 4135 Page; reward.

DOG—Lost, Scotch collie, female; return to 2422 S. 11th st.; reward.

EARRING—Lost, hammered silver; and chain, initials J. R. F., Thursday night or Friday morning; reward; phone Cabany 5021.

PURSE—Lost, silver coin, initial M. K.; lost Tuesday. Phone Riverside 280.

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PURSE—Lost, mink, about Feb. 15; initials inside; reward. Mrs. J. B. Moran, 5917 Washington. Cabany 5263.

SPECTACLES—Lost, gold, Saturday; Newstead between Clayton and Panin; reward. 4337 W. Clayton.

SPECTACLES—Lost, pair, in Moritz case; liberal reward; please return. 1402 New-hous.

SPECTACLES—Lost, Gayety Theater; Friday matinee; name on case Charles Eber; return to 1535 N. 14th; reward. (c)

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WATCH—Lost, lady's gold; near Art Museum, Sunday morning, Feb. 20; liberal reward. 3941 Flora, or call about p. m. Grand 4340.

WATCH—Lost, lady's, with initials "H. M. R." and fob, Tuesday evening, on 7th st., Washington av. or Park car; keepsake. Return to 2235A Eads; reward.

WATCH—Lost, in shopping district, Wednesday, a small open-faced gold watch with pin attached; reward. 4482 Washington.

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LAUNDRESS—Experienced white woman wants bundles to take home; excellent work; reasonable. Lindell 988W.

LAUNDRESS—Sit.; laundry work or cleaning for Tuesday, Friday and Saturday; references. Lindell 1657R.

LAUNDRESS—Sit.; colored; Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday; bundles to bring home; good ironer. Olive 4473.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored; by day or bundles to bring home. 4222 Finney. Mamie Johnson.

LAUNDRESS—Wants first two days out; washing, cleaning; reliable. Lide, Bomont 659.

LAUNDRESS—Sit., day work or washings at home; references; work guaranteed. Lindell 1913R.

LAUNDRESS—Woman, experienced, wants first two days or bundles to bring home. Bomont 664. (1)

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored; Monday and Tuesday; city reference. Call Bomont 598W.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored woman; Tuesday and Wednesday out; washing; first-class place. Forest 5385W.

LAUNDRESS—Sit., or cleaning, by day; on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday; references. Bomont 2861R. Florence.

MAID—Sit. by neat colored maid. Call Bomont 1936R.

MAID—Sit. by neat, colored, or housework. Bomont 1966. Viola Hunter.

MAID—Sit. by colored night maid. Call Bomont 598W.

MILLINER—Sit. by trimmer, experienced, will work reasonable. Box H-249, P.-D.

MILLINERY TRIMMER—Sit., and saleslady, with 8 years' experience; wishes work 3 days each week. Box H-229, P.-D.

NURSE—Sit.; practical; for confinement or invalid; city references. 3216 Paulian.

NURSE—Sit., and companion; young Southern lady desires position as companion-nurse; references. Box R-120, Post-Dis.

NURSE—Sit. by practical, steady, quiet woman, for invalid or convalescent; phone Forest 3386W.

NURSE—Sit. by capable, refined, colored, with references; no objection to upstairs work, mending. Bomont 1253.

NURSEGIRL—Sit. and to assist with housework; not under $15 per month; age 16 years. 1420 Warren st.

NURSE—Sit.; capable, well experienced; infant or sick will assist. Lindell 1197.

NURSEGIRL—Sit., walking child or baby; good references. M. Mannings, 3542 Caroline.

NURSE—Sit.; experienced; wishes confinements or other cases; doctors' and patients' references. Nurse, Forest 3579W. (7)

NURSE—Sit. by practical, confinement cases; will assist with housework. Grand 2128R, 2332 S. Compton.

NURSE—Sit.; for sick or invalid lady; housekeeper or care for children; capable middle-aged woman. Box B-140, Post-Dis.

NURSE—Sit.; wishes care of walking child or companion to lady; refined, elderly, best references; Catholic German home preferred. Box J-80, Post-Dispatch.

OFFICE ASSISTANT—Sit., and stenographer; competent and reliable; 10 years' experience. Box R-234, Post-Dispatch.

PIANIST—Sit. by lady of exceptional ability; refined and thoroughly experienced; orchestra preferred, but anything considered; reasonable salary. Call 3539 Page.

PRACTICAL NURSE—Sit.; good references; $1 per day. Box N-271, Post-Dispatch. (7)

SALESLADY—Sit.; 39; experienced; any store; live with employer; references. 4064A Shaw.

SEAMSTRESS—Wants sewing by day; $1.50. Delmar 2290X. (2)

SEAMSTRESS—Sit.; wants family sewing by day. Phone Lindell 1657R. References, colored.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. Phone Delmar 3452X. Call 2094 Bernays.

STENOGRAPHER—Lady, desires position; moderate salary. K., Central 9458L.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit., 3 months' experience. Delmar 1484L, 5426 Easton.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit., by young lady, experienced. Bomont 2630R.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit.; and bookkeeper; high school graduate, excellent references. Ad. 1073, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit.; and general office assistant; 4 years' experience; highest credentials. Cabany 1123M.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit.; 2 years' experience; knowledge of bookkeeping; moderate salary. Forest 8508R.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by young lady, experienced. Bomont 1256. Use dictaphone; reasonable salary. Olive 6200.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by young lady, 4 year's life insurance experience; permanent position. Box R-72, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by experienced; references; salary $7 per week. Box R-278, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by neat, competent, ambitious young lady; 1¼ years' experience. Phone Grand 4421W.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by capable young lady; some experience; permanent position; moderate salary. Box E-49, Post-Dis. (1)

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by capable, experienced lady; excellent references; $10 week. Box E-55, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit., morning or afternoon position; competent lady. Box B-61, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Position, with legal and commercial experience; excellent references. Phone Cabany 970.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit.; 2 years' experience; some knowledge of bookkeeping; moderate salary; references. Forest 1531R.

STENOGRAPHER—Position afternoons, experienced; can do work at home and copying on own machine. Box H-29, Post-Dis.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by young lady, high school and business college graduate. Box B-102, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Or typist; young lady desires position; good typist. Box E-117, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by lady, thoroughly experienced on collections; capable of handling own correspondence along these lines, and can take dictation. Box H-259, P.-D.

STENOGRAPHERS, bookkeepers, office assistants, collectors; positions may be secured from Y. W. C. A. Employment Dept. Olive 4875, Central 3855.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit., expert and bookkeeper; position where experience, ability and attention to business are required. Box R-81, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Experienced, reliable, quick, neat, accurate, wants afternoon position; moderate compensation. Box N-150, Post-Dispatch.

TELEPHONE OPERATOR—Sit., on either or both phones; in addition am experienced in general office work, filing, card systems, etc., am experienced typist; need work and will accept reasonable salary; can furnish many excellent references. Box M-91, Post-Dispatch. (c)

TYPEWRITER OFFICE ASSISTANT—Sit., by young lady; 7 years' experience; references. Call Cabany 4937J.

WOMAN—Sit. by Southern, colored; laundry or cook. 3005½ Clark.

WOMAN—Sit. by neat colored woman, nursing preferred. Call 3669 Finney av.

WOMAN—Sit. by Southern, colored; general housework. 409 Montrose.

WOMAN—Sit. in small family; cooking; colored. 2228 Randolph.

WOMAN—Wishes general housework; in Texas. Miss Mary Bell, 2670 Washington.

WOMAN—Sit. by German; to do washing and ironing. 4021 Allen.

WOMAN—Sit., with boy; as housekeeper. 1412A Olive.

WOMAN—Sit. by neat colored; young; housework, cook or day work. Lindell 2404.

WOMAN—Sit. by middle-aged; general housework; references. 2417 Bacon.

WOMAN—Sit.; two days out week; washing or ironing. 4115A Donovan.

WOMAN—Young, German, wants washing to do Mondays. 3606 Carroll, upstairs.

WOMAN—Sit.; laundry or cleaning, Thursday or Friday. Agnes, Bomont 3066.

WOMAN—Sit.; house cleaning; by experienced; will work by day or job. 3125 Easton.

WOMAN—Sit. by middle-aged, in motherless home. Call or write Mrs. M. Carlin, 1706 Papin.

WOMAN—Wants laundry work, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday; can give references; phone Bomont 3087W.

WOMAN—Sit.; 35 years old, refined, wants position as housekeeper, or work by the day; no triflers. Box N-192, P.-D.

WOMAN—Sit. by settled; white; cook and downstairs work; good references. Call 1814 Olive st.

WOMAN—Widow, alone, wants position take charge of rooming house, or waitress. Forest 5244.

WOMAN—Sit. by young, to help in kitchen od do cleaning. Mrs. Nieman, 2311A Cherokee.

WOMAN—Sit. to do housecleaning by day; reliable Northern woman. Address letter, Mrs. H., 3057 Easton.

WOMAN—Sit. by unincumbered widow, 38; housekeeper, companion, nurse, waitress. Box H-202, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—Sit. by elderly, German, wants light housework or nursing. 1521 Agnes, 2d floor.

WOMAN—Sit. by colored; laundry work or cleaning by day; good worker. Lindell 1927R.

WOMAN—Sit. by middle-aged, to do general housework, washing; moderate wages. 3114 Washington.

WOMAN—Sit. by widow with small child, work in Christian home; no trifers need answer. Box E-51, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—Sit., hand laundry work, we want 200 families' washings, will call for; strictly first-class hand work; call Forest 1041L. Laundry.

SITUATIONS—WOMEN, GIRLS

WOMAN—Sit. by Southern, colored; general housework, plain cooking; small family. Bomont 1648R.

WOMAN—Elderly widow wants position in motherless home or assist in refined family. Box R-114, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—Refined, wishes place in country town, in motherless home, good manager and very fond of children. Box E-128, P.-D.

WOMAN—Sit. by middle-aged lady, for old couple or widower; can give best references. Address Mrs. S. C., 740 N. 27th st., East St. Louis, Ill. (7)

YOUNG LADY—With 2 years' experience desires experience; references; $8. Miss A., 1905 Hickory.

YOUNG LADY—Of importance to business men; intelligent, industrious and efficient young lady, 18, bookkeeper, stenographer and typewriter, desires position; best references; moderate salary. Box N-174, Post-Dis. (1)

HELP WANTED

Solid agate, 10c line, except agents, salesmen, canvassers, solicitors, mail orders 15c line; minimum, 2 lines.

MEN—BOYS

AD MAN—And clothing man; state experience and salary. Box B-68, Post-Dis.

ADVERTISING MAN—Neat appearance; good talker for retail dealers, where you are best acquainted; $37.50 weekly. Box R-146, Post-Dispatch.

AMATEUR PERFORMERS Wtd.—Sunday matinee; 3 cash prizes; carfare to losers. Cherokee Theater, 2708 Cherokee. (c)

AUTOMOBILE WASHER—Colored, to wash car during the day, on commission basis; must have references. Apply 2716 Lafayette. (c)

ASSISTANT PRESSMAN—Young man who has had 2 or 3 years' experience feeding and running cylinder presses; if you have ambition for your future, answer, stating experience and wages expected. This is a rare opportunity for a progressive young man. Box E-254, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BAKER—Reliable, on bread and cakes. Box H-215, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BAKER—Good, on cake, day work. 2823 Marcus. (c)

BAKER—$18 per week; must have $250 cash; money secured. 843 Newport av., Webster Groves, Mo.

BAKER—First hand; first-class; must be sober and come well recommended; give details, information. Box E-122, Post-Dis.

BARTENDER—Sit.; experienced; in downtown bars; references from employers 5 years; employer must be present, but would like to change. Phone Cabany 5207J; ask for Bush.

BELL BOY—Neat, white, about 18; experience not necessary; references; Servoy hotel, Arlington National Hotel, National Stockyards; East St. Louis, Ill. (c7)

BLACKSMITH HELPERS—On wagon work, Schuster; call Monday morning. 1627 Wash.

BLACKSMITH'S HELPER—One experienced and familiar with automobiles. Rapp & Moller Carriage Co., 2222 Pine.

BLACKSMITHS—For hardening and tempering; two first-class men, to handle steel; must have had experience in operating oil furnaces; give experience and the names and addresses of two or three last employers. Box J-254, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

BOOKKEEPER—Capable of figuring factory costs; give age, experience and reference. Box H-208, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Man or woman; thoroughly experienced; give references and salary wanted. Box H-242, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Young man; thoroughly experienced; must be accurate, neat, rapid and good penman; permanent; salary $40; state reference and where formerly employed. Box H-161, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Young man to keep simple set of real estate books; salary $45; answer in full. Box P-257, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Assistant, by large corporation; young man; 19 or 20 years; ambitious and energetic; thorough knowledge of bookkeeping not absolutely essential. Box R-244, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—About 16, with experience in printing. Fifth floor Koken Co., 2528 Texas. (c)

BOY—Not under 14 years, to deliver parcels. Apply 4th floor, Marquette Building.

BOY—17 years old, to learn drug business. Euclid and McPherson.

BOY—Wtd., 17, to work in shop. Call Sunday before one o'clock. 8 No. Sixteenth st.

BOY—To work in artist's room, 2700 St. Vincent. (c)

BOY—Good Jewish, to work in drug store; good references. Box H-16, Post-Dis.

BOY—To deliver orders for grocery and market. Call Monday, 2201 N. 39th av.

BOY—Colored, to work in poolroom. 938 Hodiamont. Call Sunday.

BOY—Honest. Call in morning, from 9 to 12. 530 Walton av., residence. Forest 6035R.(c)

BOY—To learn automobile repair business. 3940 Laclede. Lindell 4331.

BOY—Grocery boy; experienced and references required. 4200 Shaw av. (c)

BOY—Good chance for moving picture operator. Apply at once, 2925 Park. (c)

BOY—To run errands to be handy in floorer store. 1316 Olive.

BOY—Colored, to run errands for factory. Schoenbrun Skirt Co., 1009 Washington, 7th floor.

BOY—To deliver and help in market; references and experience; call Monday morning, 114 N. King's highway.

BOY—Over 16, to learn drug business; must be willing and industrious; country preferred; references required. Box H-88, P.-D.

BOYS—Over 16, neat appearance, good hustlers and pull Sunday morning, Gayety Theater, 9 to 12.

BOY—Strong, for porter work around store, $7 week. Call only with references, Monday morning. 4th st. (7)

BOY—Bright, reliable, honest, about 15; for office; to learn business. Apply 708 Columbia Bldg. (7)

BOY—Bright, ambitious, about 15, for office; answer in own handwriting. Box R-113, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—16 years, to make himself useful in machine shop; chance to learn trade if good; wtd. Box E-235, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BOY—Hustling, about 19, to learn real estate business; some knowledge of bookkeeping; state age, salary and description; old reliable firm. Box M-80, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Quick, intelligent, not less than 16 years old for office work; answer in own handwriting, stating age, name of former employers and salary paid in last position. Box R-86, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Good opportunity to learn printing business thoroughly in high-class plant; one who has had some experience preferred. Call Lindell 3152W, after 10 o'clock today. (c)

BOYS—16 years of age, for laboratory work; grammar school education; good chance for advancement for industrious bright boys; must live with parents. Call Monday, 2117 Franklin av. (c)

BRIGHT and aggressive, for filing and general office duties; position offers unusual opportunity for advancement to right boy; state age, experience, reference, salary expected and telephone number when answering; all replies strictly confidential. Box M-78, Post-Dispatch.

BRASS MOLDER—Apply ready for work, Monday morning. 2828 La Salle st. (c)

BRASS FINISHER—First-class; not over 35; fair education and willing to travel; answer in own handwriting, stating age, experience and references. Box B-136, Post-Dis.

BUNDLE BOY—Must have certificate. Gaubatz, 4387 Laclede.

BUSINESS college will exchange scholarship for the services of a reliable young man. Box R-265, Post-Dispatch.

BUTCHER—Good; must be sober; to take care of meat department. 1235 N. Taylor.

CALLER—Experienced; to help in billing department. Apply 4th floor, Marquette Cloak and Suit Co., 1609 Washington. (c)

CARPENTERS—To attend regular meeting of L. U. No. 73 Monday, March 6, at 8 p. m.; in regard to affiliation with the building trades department of A. F. of L. By order of G. E. B.; also hall proposition.

GEO. DAVIS, President.
GEO. C. NEWMAN, Rec. Sec.

CARRIAGE BLACKSMITH'S HELPER—One who is familiar with auto work. Apply between 10 and 12 Sunday morning, Rapp & Moller Carriage Co., 2222 Pine st. (c)

CARRIAGE WOOD WORKER—First-class. Box H-22, Post-Dispatch.

CAR REPAIRERS—For freight cars. Apply foot of Utah st. (c)

CAR REPAIRERS—With tools, for wood cars. Apply in person. Car Works, Madison, Ill. (c)

CARRIAGE PAINTER—First-class, who can stripe and finish. 2418 S. 12th.

CARRIAGE WOOD WORKER—1406 N. 7th. (c)

CARRIAGE PAINTER—Experienced. Apply Pioneer Auto and Vehicle Co., 3400 S. Broadway. (c)

CHAUFFEUR—To drive, or family service; must be experienced; references required. Box H-204, Post-Dispatch.

CHAUFFEUR—For delivery; must be thoroughly experienced; Ford car. Apply to Superintendent, THE LINDELL STORE, Washington av. and Eighth st.

CHEF—Good, allround man for cafeteria; local references required; apply Monday, Village Inn Co., 623 Locust. (c)

CIGAR ROLLERS—Hudson Cigar Co., Kinloch Marshall 353, Maplewood, Benton 711.

HELP WANTED—MEN, BOYS

COAT MAKER—One first-class; none other need apply; good wages; steady work. Herman Tailoring Co., Springfield, Mo. (c)

COMPOSITORS—State experience and salary. Box E-155, Post-Dispatch. (c)

CONCRETE LABORERS—At Prairie and North Market, Monday morning. J. T. McMahon Contracting Co. (c)

COOK—Man for cook. 105 N. 6th st. (c7)

COOK—Experienced; also allround man; come ready to work. 5894 Delmar.

FRY COOK—Sit. by colored man, aged 24; good fry cook; or porter for saloon. Call Bomont 2167R. Roy Thomas.

DRUG CLERK—Registered; must speak German. 2711 Gravois.

COOK—Sit. for private family; good cook, for fine biscuits and meats, vegetables; colored man, aged 23. Call Bomont 2167R. Thomas.

CORRESPONDENT—A high-grade man with credit and collection experience, for advanced collection correspondence for large concern; give age, experience, references and salary desired to be considered. Box R-50, Post-Dispatch.

COUPLE—To work permanently on country place near St. Louis; woman to cook, man for gardening and general work; give full particulars. Box C-186, P.-D.

COUPLE—Woman, to assist in general housework, man to care for place; must be experienced gardener. Call 4925 Natural Bridge rd., or phone Delmar 4489X. (c)

CUTTER—Experienced on ladies' shirt waists. Supreme Waist Co., 905 Washington. (c)

CONCRETE MIXERS—Six; 25c per hour. 4462 Bessie. (c)

DENTIST—A1 operator; registered in Missouri; good crown extractor and contractor; highest salary to right man. Box N-77, P.-D. (7)

DENTIST—Good allround; to take charge of office on shares in good school town of 12,000; prefer one with advertising experience; must have good references; good office and good practice; state age and experience. Box J-201, Post-Dispatch.

DISHWASHER—White man. D'Aries Hotel Morgan and Walton.

DISHWASHERS—Missouri Athletic Association. Apply back door. (c)

DRAFTSMAN—Must be good tracer; state experience and salary. Box M-110, Post-Dispatch. (c)

DRAFTSMEN—Good salary for men who can handle structural steel designing and detailing; men with mechanical experience preferred, but not essential. Phone Mr. Smith, Bridge 1050.

DRIVER—For grading work. Call in morning, 6136 Wells.

MACHINISTS — Experienced on lathes. Apply 210 N. 3d. (c)

DRUG CLERK—Registered. Box H-33, P.-D. (2)

DRUG CLERK—With about 2 years' experience; must have good references; German speaking preferred. 1600 Biddle st. (7)

DRIVER—Experienced feed driver; must have references. 4123 Gravois.

ELECTRICIAN—To exchange electrical work for tailoring. 1404 N. Grand av., Delmar 5331L.

ENGINEER—One, licensed, for heating plant; state nature of experience and salary expected. Box E-196, Post-Dispatch. (c)

ENGINEER—Sit. by licensed, familiar with Corliss engines, water tube boilers, stokers, d. c. generators, motors and all modern power appliances; have recommendations where I have been employed 20 years; do not use intoxicants at all, 40 years old. 5922 Nashville.

ESTIMATOR—For sash and door factory; an experienced man, one who has a thorough knowledge of plans and working drawings; also who is quick and accurate; a permanent position for the right man. Cole Mfg. Co., Memphis, Tenn. (c2)

EXAMINER—Experienced on ladies' suits, coats, skirts and waists; only those with experience and good references considered; steady work. Apply 4th floor, Marquette Building, 1609 Washington av., Marquette Cloak and Suit Co. (c)

FACTORY BOOKKEEPER—Familiar with cost accounting; knowledge of furniture experience preferred; position permanent, with good prospects; state age, experience and salary in replying. Box R-226, Post-Dispatch.

FACTORY MAN—Experienced for cutting, stitching and fitting halters and hame straps; give references. Box E-37, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FARM HAND—Not over 18; just outside city limits. Box R-79, Post-Dispatch.

FARMER—Practical, married preferred, to work on dairy farm; must be reliable; write particulars. Box E-78, Post-Dispatch.

FARMER—A German man and wife to take care of my 10-acre place, near city; must understand fruit; will work on shares. Call after 7 on Sunday morning, 5950 Mc-Pherson av. (7)

FINISHERS—Experienced on custom pants; and girls to learn. 1008 N. 10th. (c)

FINISHERS—Men; experienced finishers and filler hands on wardrobes, cupboards and kitchen safes; state age, salary, where last employed. Peerless Cabinet Co. (c)

FLOOR MOLDERS—Experienced; steady work, no trouble, at the new foundry of the Western Gas Construction Co., Fort Wayne, Ind.

FOREMAN—For night work in machine shop; 100 men; give age, experience and salary expected. Box E-249.

GARAGE MAN—Sober that can operate car, wash and polish and take care of 3 horses; experienced man only. 668 Big Bend rd., Webster Groves.

GARDENER and chauffeur; want married man, whose wife will assist in house and garden; pay $40, board. Box B-109, P.-D.

GROCERY MAN—Good, experienced, for flat-urine. Box E-98, Post-Dispatch. (c)

GROCERY CLERK—Must be first-class; state experience, references and salary expected. Box E-129, Post-Dispatch.

HARDWARE CLERK—Southern part of city; experience and salary. Box E-249, Post-Dispatch. (c)

HARNESS MAKERS—Several, experienced, on regular factory work. Apply J. B. Sickel Saddlery Co., 1100 Washington. (c)

HOUSEMAN—Apply Jewish Hospital, 5415 Delmar.

HOUSEMAN—General, colored; must have good references. 5428 Delmar. Forest 5844.

HOUSEMAN—White, experienced. 732 Au-burn. (c)

HOUSEMAN—Colored, city references required. 4329 Lindell.

HOUSE PAINTER—One that does solicit-ing. 4078 Page. Cardoza.

ICE CREAM MAKER—Must have references. National Ice Cream Co., 4719 Delmar. (c)

I HAVE vacancies for 5 men who want to take advantage of Uncle Sam's preparedness; attend a school of military instruction one night a week; pay $1 a night. Box R-252, Post-Dispatch.

JOB PRINTER—Experienced. Daily Republican, Lancaster, Mo.

LABORERS—And teams, 3709 Washington, Olivette Construction Co.

LABORERS—15; MISSISSIPPI GLASS CO., 4100 N. Main St.

LADIES' TAILOR—On fine coats, at once. Room 1, 322 N. Grand. (c)

LADIES' TAILOR—Experienced coatmaker. 5020 Delmar. (c)

LADIES' TAILOR—First-class; one who understands cutting and fitting. 3937 Washington. (c)

LATHE HAND—3108 N. 22d st. (c)

MACHINIST—First-class lathe hands; apply 9 a. m. Sunday or Monday. 1502 N. 18th st.

MACHINIST—Plainer hand; must be capable of doing close work. Frenhoit Brick Machine Co., Doyle and Vandeventer; take Vandeventer car.

MACHINIST—Allround; to act as foreman in a small factory; give age, experience and salary expected in first letter. Box J-76, P.-D. (1)

MACHINISTS—For work both in and out of city; must be first-class; no others need apply; high wages; good opportunity for right parties; give references and state if employed at present. Box N-257, P.-D. (7)

MACHINISTS—Two, first-class, who learned trade in Germany; also 2 pipe fitters, six laborers and a shift mechanic, at zinc concentrator. Write in German or English, apply in writing not later than Monday, giving telephone number. Box B-90, P.-D.

MACHINISTS, TOOL MAKERS AND MOTOR WINDERS

Tool and die makers, lathe, milling machine, turret lathe, automatic machine and hand-screw machine operators; also field and armature winders. Apply Wagner Electric Mfg. Co., 6400 Plymouth av., 8:30 a. m. (c8)

MAN—Someone to learn general repairing; some capital. 3503 Morgan; Carrel.

MAN—To collect on commission, solicit and furnish bond. Box J-188, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Steady, industrious, for wagon work; references. 3916 Laclede, 9 to 10:30 a. m.

MAN—Or student, to attend furnace for room rent. 4302 Cook.

MAN—19, experienced stock clerk and order filler, wants position. Victor 2942J. (91)

MAN—To work in paint factory; must have experience. 2546 Jeckels st. Granite.

MAN AND WIFE—As butler and cook; references required; none but experienced couple need apply! Box P-214, Post-Dis. (c7)

MAN—Young, as collector and cashier; $50 required; commercial phone. Box R-277, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young, as stenographer and office assistant; call at noon Monday. Thatcher-Kerwin Glass Co., 921 N. 6th.

MAN—For small farm in the country, who understands vegetable and flower growing, also light outside work. Phone Olive 1423.

MAN—Good, on hanging floor for surries and buggies. The Banner Buggy Co., 11th and Howard. (c1)

MAN—Elderly, for shipping clerk and timekeeper on brickyard; salary $40; state experience. Box R-164, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Bright, for stockroom; good as figures and not afraid to work. 12th and Chestnut sts., Herkert & Meisel Trunk Co. (c)

MAN—Young, not over 25, married, for office work; give present employment, age, positions held and salary expected. Box E-275, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young, strong, to learn machinery grinding, filling and painting. 2907 S. Broadway. (c)

MAN—For farm work in St. Louis County; state experience and wages expected. Box H-63, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Farm land; want good, sober married man; prefer no children; must be good with horses and a practical farmer. J. U. Knox, New Florence, Mo.

MAN—Young, neat appearance, high-school education, to assist in office, collect and call on customers; experience not necessary. Rader Printing Co., 4835-37 Easton av. (c)

MAN—Who thoroughly understands gardening, care of flowers, care of cows and chickens, for private place in Kirkwood; give references. Box R-217, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Thoroughly reliable, capable of laying out, superintending erection and operating gas-fired zinc smelter; give full particulars of experience; liberal inducements will be offered right party. Box J-231, P.-D. (c2)

MAN—Young, to post and balance seven large sales ledgers; if haven't had 2 years' experience at this work, need not answer; must be rapid and accurate; state full age, experience, salary wanted. Box P-270, P.-D.

MAN AND WIFE—I want a couple or family with grown sons to work on shares on my stock farm in Fenton, Mo., 40 miles from St. Louis. See me today. 4731 Leduc st., 2 blocks north of Easton av., 4700 west.

MAN—Energetic, active, to establish permanent business; whole or part time; St. Louis or outside territory; health and accident insurance; immediate cash returns and future. Address National Casualty Co. (c)

MAN—25, good education, absolutely sober, wants position in office or store; good chance for advancement; 6 years' experience sending school. Wm. A. Anderson, 1508 Branch st.

MAN—Handy, familiar with machinery, pipe-fitting and blacksmithing for work around large plant in Southern Illinois. Call Sunday, Robt. A. Bants, Majestic Hotel.

MAN—Wide-awake, temperate, 25 to 35 years of age, of character and ability, to deliver and collect from town and country; customers; personal bond of $350 required. Ad. R. B. Stout, care General Delivery, St. Louis.

MAN—An energetic, active man to establish permanent business, who e or part time, St. Louis or outside territory; health and accident insurance; earn ate cash returns and future. Address National Casualty Co., Detroit, Mich. (c)

MAN—Young; in office of large iron and steel jobbing house; must have high school education or equivalent; live with parents and be able to furnish exceptional references; small salary to start, but excellent opportunity for advancement; state qualifications in detail. Box M-22, Post-Dis. (c)

MAN—Responsible, with reliable friends who vouch for him, to oversee and manage Dixie estates, just developed to orchards and grapefruit, near Tampa, the metropolis of South Florida, in the most remarkable section of Sunshine State of America; to right party we will give a developed grove free for co-operating and assisting us; and we mutually arrange a liberal compensation; this is not a "grove manager"; splendid opportunity. Carlson, 837 Marquette Bldg., Chicago.

MEN—To sell hot tamales. 2741 Wash.

MEN—And young men for the Frisco news service. Apply 2004 Eugenia, city.

MEN—Five men and five teams, at 4463 Westminster, in rear. E. Muller.

MEN—Monday morning, with hatchets, to clear 10 acres. 5010 Page.

MEN—Ten, at Grand and Market. James Ryan. (c1)

MEN AND TEAM Wtd.—With 50-foot bed, and shovels and runways. 3107 Locust st.

MEN—Over 18 years of age, to join national guard; athletics, dancing, swimming, military training, camping trip with full pay; good prospects in near future for Federal pay for every drill attended. Box R-31, Post-Dispatch.

MEN—Ambitious, energetic, to become traffic managers; will learn while they earn; you can increase your earning

AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS—Do you want to make more money? Sell our repeat order specialties; particulars free. Mutual Supply Co., Berwin, Ill.

AGENTS—Start a mirror factory; we teach and trust you; 10c brings first lesson, prospectus; many profitable agents' lines. Hullinger's Institute (L), Francesville, Ind.

AGENTS—Salary or commission; greatest seller yet; every user pens and ink buys on sight; 200 to 500 per cent profit; one agent's sales $620 in six days; another $32 in two hours. Monroe Mfg. Co., X-27, La Crosse, Wis. (99)

AGENTS—I want a hustling agent, who will take exclusive agency for his county for an article in constant demand the year around; repeat orders alone will net you a steady income. For particulars address P. H. Healy 7 Sanford st., Springfield, Mass.

AGENTS—We will start you making big money; will you operate our mail order plan? We furnish all printed matter for this plan on trust; you pay when successfully established from profits. A. H. Hunter Co., 37 Tompkins pl., Glendale, N. Y.

AGENTS—Wanted, a reliable person in each locality to travel, distribute free goods and advertise; good pay; $5 outfit free; no money required. we trust you; experience unnecessary; permanent. Silverton, Mgr., 2144 Ogden Av., Chicago.

AGENTS—A 1-cent postcard will put you in touch with an $80 a week proposition, selling automobile and kindred lines direct to the consumer; don't let 1 cent stand between you and prosperity. Dix, 4010, American Typewriter Mfg. Co., Leavitt, Ill.

AGENTS—$60 a week to special agents to travel by automobile and introduce 300-candle power coal oil lantern, for dairymen, farmers and others; we furnish auto free; write for particulars. Thomas Mfg. Co., 6736 White Bldg., Dayton, Ohio.

AGENTS—Our records show Bolster of New York made $1,900 clear in January, 1916; we can you, by selling our machine at every house for $1.50, making $1 on every sale; act quickly; send postal today. W. J. Frank Mfg. Co., Dept. 16, St. Louis, Mo. (c)

AGENTS—Our free samples and money-making propositions are ready; we want agents who want to make $6 daily and more; article new; territory never worked. Send for particulars and free sample. N. Rogan, 3620 Calumet av., Chicago.

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AGENTS—A great opening; new article, new territory; $18 to $36 weekly; enormous profits on continuous repeat orders; not sold to stores; write today for particulars. Address particulars and free sample. C. D. Connor & Son, 2001 East Stark st., Portland, Ore.

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AGENTS—Safety first; 100 per cent profit; two or more needed in every house, barn, school, church, store; automobile owners sell on sight; big sales; act quick; a postal for terms. Eureka Supply Co., Dept. I, 805 Wyandotte, Kan.

AGENTS—Young man or lady, in every town in Missouri, to sell new soldering compound; sells like wild fire; every householder buys; 200 per cent profit; exclusive territory; sells for 25 cents; send 25 cents (silver) for sample prices, etc. Household Necessities Co., Macon, Mo. Box 203.

AGENTS—Free sample and particulars; Delbare's Naptha Washington Tablets; wash clothes without rubbing; guaranteed not to injure the finest fabrics; not caustic like caustics; manufactured and sold by Naptha Washington Tablet Co., 714 S. Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill.

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AGENTS—In every town; married men preferred; to handle our high-grade household specialty; this article is needed in every home; $2 profit on each sale; exclusive county rights may be obtained by agents who will engage in subagents; a chance for a hustler who has selling ability to make extra good money; article is fully guaranteed. Box B-250, Post-Dispatch.

AGENTS—Marvelous expanding cuff button; spreads 2 inches; Presto, slip cuffs over elbows without unbuttoning; pull down, close automatically; stay where placed upon sleeve arm; greatest laundry and shirt saver invented; combines utility with convenience; invisible, endorsed as an article the world over; everywhere; De Wilde sold 150—10 days; profits $345; money back if not as represented; one combination sale; territory; large profits; no phony goods; our selling plans is worth $100 to you; wanted high-grade specialty agents everywhere to call direct to consumer; no exp. necessary. Presto Co., Sheboygan, Wis.

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AGENTS—Big textile mills will employ everywhere reliable people to take orders for dress fabrics, linens, underwear, hosiery, waists and skirts, from samples; factory prices; spare or all time; no experience; permanent; pleasant; profitable; $18 weekly. Steadfast Mills, Dept. E-13, Cohoes, N. Y.

AGENTS—We start you in business in your own town with $25 capital; new incandescent nitrogen lamp, giving a very brilliant white light; cuts electric light bill in half; tremendous field; exclusive territory given; write for full particulars. Ernest Rubes Co., 329 Taaffe pl., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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LAUNDRESS—White woman for washing one-half day. 3412A Dunnica.

LAUNDRESS—White, experienced, in a private family, by the month. Call 4369 McPherson, after 10 a. m. (c)

LAUNDRESS—To take washing home, white preferred; give reference in writing. 2118 C. Schaefer, 3403 Montana. (c)

LAUNDRESS—Reliable white lady; neighborhood 5000 Delmar; do lady's laundry every two weeks. 5000A Delmar bl.

MAID—Competent white, for general housework; city references required. Call Monday, 10 to 12, 4004 Westminster.

MAID—For general housework, experienced, good home for right party, 4 adults, references. 3934 Russell, Sunday or Monday. (c)

MANAGER—Competent and with previous experience in the management of lunch room; give reference and last employment; congen... hours. Box N-233, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MIDDY PRESSERS—WORK ALL YEAR ROUND; GOOD PAY. APPLY EVERETT AMERICAN RUBBER CO., 1101 WASHINGTON, 3D FLOOR. (c)

MILLINERY APPRENTICE—4224 Easton. (c)

MILLINERY MAKERS—First-class. Galer & Schaefer, 1221 Washington av.

MILLINERY TRIMMERS—We require the services of experienced trimmers and makers. Apply before 10 a. m., Supt.'s office, FAMOUS-BARR CO.

NECKWEAR BOXERS—Steady work. Hurst-Zucker Neckwear Co., 1322 Washington. (c)

NURSE—Experienced white; best wages. 5638 Kingsbury pl. (c)

NURSE—Experienced, white, for 2 walking children; reference. 4629 Maryland; Forest 6071.

NURSEGIRL—Experienced and reliable, for entire charge of walking child; good home and good wages to right party; references required. 6116 Berlin, third floor. Cabany (c)

OFFICE GIRL—At Peckham's, 616 Washington. (c)

OPERATORS—On children's dresses; good pay. 1 Interberger, 816 Lucas av.

OPERATORS—On single-needle embroidery machines; good pay to experienced hands. Pearl Shirtwaist Mfg. Co., 819 Lucas. (c)

OPERATORS—First-class, on custom pants. 209 Pine st., 4th floor. Stoller & Carter. (c6)

OPERATORS—Experienced, to put neckbands on shirts. Buckley Shirt Co., 210 S. Jefferson. (c)

OPERATORS—On power machines; good pay and steady work. Pearl Shirtwaist Mfg. Co., 819 Lucas av. (c)

OPERATORS—Experienced on men's neckwear; steady work. Hurst-Zucker Neckwear Co., 1322 Washington av. (c)

OPERATORS—Experienced on silk waists; guaranteed salary; steady all-year-round work. Marco Mfg. Co., 1009 Washington.

OPERATOR—Experienced, for 2-needle hemstitch machine. Spindler Mfg. Co., 210 S. Jefferson av. (c)

OPERATORS—Experienced on middy blouses and aprons; also examiners. Apply at American Petticoat Co., 615 N. 9th st. (c)

OPERATOR—First-class folding machine and finisher, steady position. Box 91, Post-Dispatch. (c)

OPERATORS—On ladies' shirtwaists; also girls to learn; steady work; good pay. Prince & Co., 420 N. 8th st. (c)

OPERATORS—Fower machines, and shoe factory workers with experience, register at the C. A. Employment Dept., 1411 Locust st.

OPERATORS—Experienced on children's dresses and middie blouses; steady work; Jungman-Landecker Co., 923 Washington, 6th floor. (c)

OPERATORS—Male and female, capable of stitching leather belts; good opporunity. Apply Ely & Walker Belt Factory, 16th and Locust.

OPERATORS—Experienced power machine operators, on house dresses, bungalow aprons and middy blouses. Major Mfg. Co., 1110 Washington, fourth floor. (c)

OPERATORS—Experienced, on power machine, to make middies, section work; highest prices; steady work; best machines; also light factory. Mohr Garment Co., 803 Washington. (c)

OPERATORS—We want several experienced on power machines on new middys; we pay highest wages, by week or piece. Cohn-Weinstock Mfg. Co., 6th floor, 823 Washington. (c)

OPERATORS—EXPERIENCED, ON POWER MACHINES ALL THAT IS NECESSARY; WORK ALL YEAR ROUND; GOOD PAY. APPLY EVERETT RUBBER CO., 1101 WASHINGTON, 3D FLOOR. (c)

OPERATORS—Experienced power machines, on shirts, pant work; permanent employment and highest wages; no waiting for work, making it easy and quick for the operators. Buckley Shirt Co., 210 S. Jefferson. (c1)

OPERATOR—Woman, on singer sewing machine; one who has had experience in carriage or automobile trimming shop preferred. J. B. Sickels Saddlery Co., 2100 Washington av. (c)

OPERATORS—We can place a few more thoroughly experienced operators in a position where long wages on fine white waist blouses; pay best prices and guarantee steady work. Colsolidated Garment Co., 1324 Washington. (c)

OPERATORS—For Union Special sleeving machine, on coats and for 2-needle Singer machines, on pockets; also operators to make overalls; also Singer single-needle needle machine; steady work; our experienced operators earn from $12 to $18 week; the girls will have a manicure built in Tuesday night in the dining room at the factory. Larned, Carter & Co., 19th and Pine sts. (c)

Experienced Power Machine Operators and Shirt Makers

On all parts; we will provide you with steady and profitable work through the entire year. NEW ERA MFG. CO., 901 Lucas av. (c2)

EXPERIENCE OPERATORS

And learners on power machines; willing to teach beginners who wish to learn how to become operators on steady work; on children's boudoir caps and ladies' auto headwear; paid while learning.

DELMAR MFG. CO., 4011 N. 8th. (c)

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If you want steady work we will guarantee good wages; call and we will interest you. Moss-Strauss Mfg. Co., 20th and Locust. (c)

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PRESSERS—Experienced, with electric iron to press middies, must be steady workers. Mohr Garment Co., 803 Washington. (c)

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PACKERS—Apply Capital Factory, 18th and Wash.

PRESS FEEDER—Job; 8 hours day; three blocks north Suburban Garden. Efficiency Oil Corporation, 2100 Kienlen. (c)

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SALESLADY—Thoroughly experienced, for cloaks and suits. 512 Franklin. Lentzner Cloak and Suit Co. (c)

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WOMAN—To do housework in exchange for husband's room and board. 3700 West Pine bl.

WOMAN—To do housework in country; middle-aged preferred. Mrs. John Howald, Eureka, Mo., St. Louis County. (c)

WOMAN—Elderly; care for baby and boy of 3; daytime; and room mother. Call today, 5007 Lenox, third floor.

WOMAN—By the month, competetn Protestant white woman for children's attendant. Methodist Home, 4385 Maryland.

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YOUNG LADY—For office; state age and salary. Box B-25, Post-Dispatch.

YOUNG LADY—To demonstrate for florist; must be a good talker and neat appearance; willing worker. Box H-278, Post-Dis. (c)

YOUNG LADY—Neat appearing, for sample in candy factory; experienced preferred. Apply 118 S. 4th st., Monday at 7:30 a. m. (c)

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HAND IRONER—Experienced. At the Carondelet Steam Laundry, 215 Upton. (c)

LISTER—Experienced, counter and marker, on Bunker machine; rough dry. West End Laundry, 4825 Finney. (c)

MARKER—And assorter, A1; apply between 10:30 and 12 Sunday; Colonial Laundry, 4020 Olive. (c)

LAUNDRY HELP — GIRLS OVER 18 YEARS TO LEARN TO OPERATE BOSOM PRESSING MACHINE; ONLY THOSE DESIRING STEADY WORK NEED APPLY; 2309 MADISON, FERGUSON-McKINNEY SHIRT FACTORY.

SALESLADIES WANTED

SALESLADIES—Experienced, for yard goods. Apply Penny & Gentles, Broadway and Morgan.

SALESLADY—For dry goods and ready-to-wear; city references required. Call Monday, 10 to 12, 4004 Westminster.

SALESLADIES—10; crew; $2.50 day; steady work; advertising campaign; also travel. Bellis, 800 N. Garrison.

SALESWOMEN—Several, neat appearing, for millinery. Apply Monday before 10 a. m., 2d floor, at Kline's, 606-608 Washington.

SALESLADIES—Middle-aged ladies of education and culture, to interview mothers on the moral training of children in the home; may travel; will pay $25 per week to those qualified. American Educational Society, 625 Locust st. (c5)

SALESLADY—Large manufacturer will establish active lady of good address and ability in permanent, profitable business in her own town; $10 to $100 per month; experience unnecessary; all or spare time; occupation congenial to woman of refinement. For particulars address Parker Mills, 2762 N. 12th st., Philadelphia. (c99)

SALESLADY—Permanent position for educated woman over 28 in our STODDARD TRAVEL LECTURES sales organization; this is the most attractive traveling position open to a cultured woman; unusual interest in these lectures now, on account of the war; guaranteed minimum salary $1200 per year; no experience or money required. Teachers apply now for summer work. Geo. L. Shuman & Co., Chicago.

WRITE motion picture plays; $50 each; experience unnecessary; details free to beginners. Producers' League, 42 Wainwright, St. Louis. (c99)

Drapery Saleswomen Wanted

We require the services of three experienced drapery and lace curtain saleswomen. Apply Superintendent's Office before 10 a. m.

FAMOUS-BARR CO.

WANTED

Experienced cloak and suit saleslades to work from 11 a. m. to 4 p. m. daily; good salaries for those who are capable. Apply Mr. Fuller, third floor

SONNENFELD'S, 610 Washington av.

SALESPEOPLE

Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co. requires the services of experienced salespeople in the following departments—Women's Coats, Suits and Dresses. Apply Employment Office, Second Floor.

SHOEWORKERS

FITTING ROOM HELP—And packers. Etelbrick Shoe Co., 325 Locust, 2d floor.

GIRLS—Over 16, to learn in packing department. International Shoe Co., Jefferson and St. Louis ave. (c)

GIRLS—To cover wood heels on women's fine shoes. Apply Capital Factory, 18th and Wash. (c)

PUMP STITCHERS—Apply to H. W. Page, Capital Factory, 18th and Wash. (c)

PUMP STITCHERS—And hand folders, experienced, on perforators. International Shoe Co., St. Louis and Jefferson. (c7)

SIDE STAYERS—On linings. Homestake Plant, 12th and Russell. (c)

STITCHERS—Experienced pump stitchers, hand folders and perforators. International Shoe Co., St. Louis and Jefferson ave. (c)

BUSINESS CHANCES

Solid agate, 10c line, minimum 20c.

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BUSINESS CHANCE—Salesman wanted, a man with $1000 to $1200, in established business. Box B-64, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS CHANCE—Druggists and others, Lafayette district; fine location; new stores; Vandeventer line; reas.

BUSINESS CHANCE—Wanted, party to put up 300-ton mill on 40-acre zinc tract. Phillip Lawrence, Joplin; high-grade ore; will give half interest. Box H-247, Post-Dis.

BUSINESS CHANCE—Party with $5000 to take half interest in contracting business; well established; with profitable contracts on hand; good opportunity. Box R-108, P.-D.

BUSINESS CHANCE—Have unusual opportunity for active man with $2000 cash; investment secured, good salary, big profits assured. Box R-247, Post-Dis.

BUSINESS CHANCE—Salesman offers a business worth $200 per month, largely established, for few hundred dollars. Don't miss this. Box E-120, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS CHANCE—Lawyer, 15 years' Missouri practice, desies connection with established firm as trial lawyer; has good library; reference. Box H-248, Post-Dis.

BUSINESS CHANCE—For sale, retail business in Central Missouri; invoice about $6000; annual sales, $40,000; can be increased to $75,000; no competition; 10% per cent proposition. Box J-71, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS CHANCE—Bakers, attention. We will sell movable bake ovens, guaranteed satisfactory; terms to suit; write for catalogue. Middleby-Marshall Oven Mfg. Co., 905-07 S. 6th st., St. Louis, Mo. (c36)

BUSINESS CHANCE—Well-known furniture man wants to get in touch with investors, in established furniture business; strictly legitimate, safe proposition; will incorporate. Box B-55, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS CHANCE—I will show any lady how she can make more money in six months on an investment of $1.25 than she can in a year on wages; write me for useful sample, particulars and postage. Art Silk Co., Box 1044, Tonapha, Nev.

BUSINESS CHANCE—I originated the myself-heating flat iron stock, have the most wonderful window attraction on earth; am looking for high-class representation; exclusive territory; rare opportunity to make big money. Mr. Golden, Beer's Hotel, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday.

BUSINESS CHANCE—3000 acres of Oklahoma oil lands, including well; must sell; will sell small tracts to secure funds to drill; each land purchaser gets interest in wells; $60 buys 5 acres and 40 shares in drilling Company; $120 buys 10 acres and 120 shares in drilling company, and so on up. 314 Orear-Leslie Bldg., Kansas City, Mo. (c83)

ACCOUNTS, claims, collected anywhere in United States; collections guaranteed or no charges; if we can't collect 't you might as well keep it. May's Collection Agency, Somerset, Ky.

ADVERTISERS—We will place your 20-word ad in 10 big Sunday papers for $2.50. Central States Ad Agency, 1060 N. 7th.

ADVERTISE 20 words in 100 monthlies, $1; 100 weeklies, $2.50; 20 Sunday papers, $5; in all 8, Cope Agency, St. Louis.

ADVERTISE—30 words in 150 monthlies, $1; in 100 weeklies, $2; in 20 Sunday papers, $5; in all, $7.50. Smith Advt. Agency, Corsicana, Tex.

ADVERTISERS, mail dealers, our 1915 rate book lists 2000 principal publications, rates, circulation; includes 30 mail order plans. Price 10c. Dearborn Advertising Agency, 117 Franklin Bldg., Chicago.

ARE you desirous of making a fair-sized safe investment, which will produce wonderful profits and which will be the means of creating a fortune? I want all gamblers on investment opportunities to give this a thorough investigation; no scheme, but an absolutely legitimate one. This advertisement is meant for real investors, not for curiosity seekers. E. J., 114 Avenue A, New York City.

A BUSINESS man with capital to invest in two patented articles of value; will control and handle his own money; said articles appeal to all classes of people; enormous profits possibilities; demand for said articles exists; it is an open field with a great future; an exceptional opportunity for a profitable investment. Anthony Giordano, Box 454, San Antonio, Tex.

A FEW YEARS AGO I started a small mail order business at home in spare time with a few dollars' capital. I wanted to make $30 or $40 a month, evenings. The net profits the first year averaged $500 a week. Five years ago they passed $50,000. I will show you how to start a small mail order business. Send today for my proposition. It's interesting. No canvassing. Heacock, Box 726, Lockport, N. Y.

AGENCY—Established, permanent business, large earnings, no risk, sales commission basis, expense nominal; if you are looking for a business that will make you independent and have $500 to invest; investigate. Box R-261, Post-Dispatch.

AN ABSOLUTELY safe investment; no speculation; returns large dividends; information free. Address R. E. Doty, Murphysboro, Ill.

AN established manufacturer wants State manager; high-class article; should pay $7000 annually; $3000 to $4000 cashl; will pay expenses to Chicago if you are the man we want. Sales Manager, 1012 Republic Bldg., Chicago.

A YOUNG woman, with business ability has $1000 to invest with working interest in some established business. Box N-247, Post-Dispatch.

ESTABLISHED lawyer wants young lawyer in office; must have resources. Box R-187, Post-Dispatch.

BIG money in the mail order business; the Mail Order Journal, 18 years old, monthly, 64 pages, will enable you to start right and make good on business conditions and methods; indispensable for live business men; no sample copies; send 25c for 6 months' trial subscription. Mail Order Journal, 139 Schiller Bldg., Chicago.

CAPITAL raised through sale industrial, oil or mining issue by established house; must be first-class. Morris, Suite 205, 253 Broadway, N. Y.

CHARTERS—Delaware; best, cheapest, granted day received; nothing need be paid in; investors prefer them; meetings anywhere; free form, Colonial Charter Co., Wilmington, Del. (99)

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CONCESSION—For sale, in one of the leading St. Louis parks; that pays from $5000 to $5000 a season, with five-year lease; must be responsible party, with $1800 cash. Write or call at 3417 Chippewa st. Mr. Pelger, St. Louis, Mo.

CONDUCT a "candy kitchen" and clear $10 daily; practically no capital required; booklet free. The Kennon School, 144 W. Ontario st., Dept. 12, Chicago.

DIME brings 10 plans that are now making big money for others; why not you? A few dollars places them in your position; spare hours unlimited; order at once. Dr. Henrich, 1803 College av., East St. Louis, Ill. (99)

EARN $100 weekly managing clean, legitimate mail order business; we furnish everything; no canvassing; small amount capital; splendid chance for intelligent, employed person to control independent business on money-making basis; working in spare time, evenings at home; particulars free. Opportunities Exchange, Buffalo, N. Y.

FEW hundred dollars handles exclusive manufacturing proposition; fine opportunity for salesman. 214 Victoria Bldg.

FINE opportunity for retail man; I offer for sale my general dry goods and shoe business, $8000 stock, best location in town; if you want a real money maker, act quickly. Box H-28, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FLOUR MILL—For sale or exchange; one of the best up-to-date flour, corn meal and feed mills on Frisco Railroad; will consider St. Louis income property or farm near St. Louis, not over $15,000. Box M-13, Post-Dispatch.

FOR reliable information regarding Wyoming oil fields, write to C. H. McWhinnie, Douglas, Wyo.

FORMULAS—I have a few good moneymakers; write for list. Edwards, 3114 Lemp av., St. Louis, Mo.

FOR SALE—Or exchange, old established dry goods, ladies' and gents' furnishing goods store; agents, jobbers, bargain hunters, curiosity seekers, don't answer. Box B-81, Post-Dispatch.

GENTLEMAN or lady, with or without service, with $1000, to invest or loan, secured by real estate; has exceptional opportunity in established contracting and machinery business; investicate, if you are sincere. Box R-98, Post-Dispatch.

GOT a patent on coal-oil burner, 75 per cent; gives complete combustion; need a partner with $1000; no soot or smell; will demonstrate; references. Box B-103, Post-Dispatch.

GROW RICH in business of your own; get out of the wage earners' class; your co-operation with our factory starts you with little capital during spare time in your own home; we manufacture exclusive articles; no canvassing; experience unnecessary; write for booklet and proposition. Pease Mfg. Co., Dept. D-38, 93 Broadway, Buffalo, N. Y.

BUSINESS CHANCES

GUARANTEED to run for water-proofing garments; formula and selling plans complete and particulars of 100 other big money propositions, 10c. Mid-West, 321 E. 43d, Chicago.

GUARANTEED written formula for cleaning wall paper, also formulas for cleaning marble, silver plating, steel etching, metal polishing, all 25c prepaid. Address Moseley Supply Co., Bloomfield, Mo.

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HORSES change for $5 or $50 investment; zinc, zinc, zinc; fortunes being made in it; newly discovered field; 2500 acres tied up, boom on, shafts going down; assays heavy; our company first in field; all also stebled; get in quick in "parent" company. Leedey-Oklahoma Zinc Co., Dept. 18, Leedey, Ok. (9d)

HOTEL—For sale, 20-room, furnished, centrally located; opposite station; live town; price low for quick sale; terms part cash. Address Box 355, Manhattan, Ill.

IF YOU want to market, develop, finance or promote anything, we can help you. Bureau of information, St. Louis, Mo.

IF you have $300 to $500 to invest, will make $1000 in 60 days; strictly legitimate. Box H-250, Post-Dispatch.

IF YOU have money you can invest, providing business is proven, regardless successful stable, with dividend unusual sayso; will call only on appointment. Box T-208, Post-Dispatch.

INAUGURATE your business; avoid partnerships; protect private personal property from business ventures; fees small; blanks and information free. Phillip Lawrence, former Assistant Secretary State, Huron, S. D. 28 Dakota av.

I OWN a lot 100x150, best location in city for sale. Webb, Joplin; high-grade ore; will be full all the time; want a man with experience and $1000 or more to fit up an absolute mill manage it; state experience and give references in first letter. Box E-188, Post-Dispatch. (c)

INVENTOR wants financial backing on good invention; those who are interested write Box P-231, Post-Dispatch. (c1)

INVENTORS—We develop and perfect inventions, make models, dies, tools, metal stamping and special manufacturing. Gerling Bros., Lion Bldg., Cincinnati O. (c99)

INVESTORS and manufacturers; we desire additional work; building machinery or parts in our fully equipped machine shop. Box R-143, Post-Dispatch.

INVENTORS Wtd.—Your Ideas may mean fortune; send sketch; patents secured through new credit system; book and advice free. Waters & Co., 4156 Warder Bldg., Washington, D. C. (99)

INVENTORS who have models, dies, tools, specialties, special manufacturing and experimental work; don't fail to get our estimates; our 22 years' experience is at your command. Backer & Gerding Mfg. Co., 121 Opera place, Cincinnati, O. (99)

INVESTMENT—$20 to $200 in Oklahoma oil production; under our plan you get interest in 200 acres now drilling and 24 options in 24 more 200-acre tracts. Write for plan and indorsements. Unity Oil Co., 240 Dwight Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

I WILL start you in the mail order business if you will handle my goods. Crest Co., 10, Atlantic City, N. J.

MAIL ORDER DEALERS—Get next to our 30 giant sellers; profits as high as 95c on dollar orders; exclusive lines not sold by stores, start small, grow large; we help you and furnish everything; our complete book of plans, "Successful Mail Order Methods," and service all for 10c. Mail Dealers' Wholesale House, 708, Franklin Bldg., Chicago.

MAKE MONEY with us; join our co-operative mail order organization, new system, wonderful opportunity; booklet and full particulars free. West Coast Specialty Co., Dept. B, 258 Wilcox Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal. (c)

MAN—To invest $100; can make $35 to $40 week; one who is not afraid of hard work. Box E-221, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MAN—First-class; office; with some knowledge of machinery and boiler; with means can invest from $3000 to $5000 in an established business. Box R-184, Post-Dispatch.

MANAGER—For branch office in St. Louis; East St. Louis and St. Louis County; permanent business permanent and very profitable; small investment in goods. Room 684 Maryland Hotel.

MANAGER—Sit., by an experienced restaurant and hotel man a restaurant, lunchroom or rooming house to manage with option of buying in 60 or 90 days, if found well-paying, price not to exceed $500; can give security. Box R-233, P.-D.

MEDICINE FORMULAS—For sale; sure cure for rheumatism, consumption, constipation, indigestion, blood, nervousness, worms 6197 Delmar.

MISSOURI corporation, with going business, is curtailing in, with more efficient and lower priced article, on a field that has made millions for others; experimental stage passed; successful operations open for inspection; $2500 of stock, lots of $500 up; offered to few investors of desirable personality and business standing; write for interview. Box M-99, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MONEY Wtd.—$200; from private party; 8 per cent interest; security. Box N-128, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MONEY invested in new trading and transportation business in the Republic of Colombia will double itself annually. Ad. L. V. Ferreira, Box 542, Ancon, Canal Zone, Republic of Panama.

NO blue sky for sale; just need a young or middle-aged active business man who can sell or has ability to sell, who can loan an established, progressive concern $5000 on good security at current rate; can secure treasurership and salary commensurate with ability; with a future reasonably assured. Box P-249, Post-Dis. (c7)

OFFICE MAN—Experienced; with best of references and several hundred dollars to invest in one established concern. Box N-145, Post-Dispatch.

OPPORTUNITY Wtd.—For an experienced lunchroom man, will lease to man with small capital to conduct business, or will employ competent man, under my own management. 924 Pendleton. (c)

OWNER, RETIRING WOULD SELL LONG ESTABLISHED MERCANTILE BUSINESS earning up in the thousands every year; safe, legitimate and a line permanently profitable; purchaser must have at least $10,000 cash, terms on balance. Representations as to value of business easily verified; principals only. Box M-17, Post-Dispatch.

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RARE chance to acquire a dependable manufacturing specialty business established 20 years; whose output and brands rank highest; favorably and widely known; with excellent daily demand from the largest jobber, dealers and consumer trade (at big profits); 20 years' good will, based on highest grades, practically no competition on quality; unlimited possibilities; safe substantial investment; requires $5000 for control; will bear most rigid investigation. Box N-247, Post-Dispatch.

SALES MANAGER—In this territory, for general agency; motor truck company backed by men of financial standing; exceptional opportunity for high-grade business men. Investment required. Lakeside Motor Truck Co., Westminster Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

SECRETARYSHIP and treasurership open in old corporation for capable men who can purchase stock; extraordinary returns on investment; exceptionally good salaries. Box R-65, Post-Dispatch.

SELLING or trading anything, anywhere, is our business. Write Mathews-Rasch Publicity, 328-V, Mallers Bldg., Chicago.

SMALL INVESTORS MAKING FORTUNES from oil in Houston district; single gusher wells pay thousands daily. Get interest with us in valuable properties; help develop for oil. We want to drill 10 wells in proven oil fields. Shares $10, payments $1 monthly. Write; maps and particulars free. Houston Oil Fields Association, 1106 Carter Bldg., Houston, Tex.

STUDIO—For sale; very low price; making net profit of $3000 per year; will stand thorough investigation. W. H. Metzger, 001 Livingston Bldg., Bloomington, Ill.

THE NEW AUTO METAL POLISH—Best by all tests; trial bottle, 10c. Schuermann & Co., 2107 John av., St. Louis, Mo.

TO the man or young lady that has a savings account of $10 or more a month and are not satisfied with 6 per cent, it will be to your interest to write for particulars. Box M-41, Post-Dispatch.

TYP "Missouri Mule," with your next ad., 25,000 readers, 1c word. Moeller Agency, St. Louis.

VALUABLE patent for sanitary telephone mouthpiece cover at a bargain; also Canada patent for exchange of small automobile. L. Collins, care Times Co., Louisville, Ky. (c2)

WANTED LADY or gentleman with money, for secretary, in manufacturing business; a safe investment; big money. 3011 Semple.

WANT reliable man to take charge city selling; big field for hustler; must take $400 interest. Box E-197, Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Man with $2000 for sheep raising, Ozark ranch, 300 acres; a good land situation. Box R-173, P.-D.

WANTED—Some capital to start a medical company; have six formulas that are worth a million apiece. Box R-18, P.-D.

WANTED—Practical novelty suitable for mail order; answer in detail. Box R-36, Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Man to invest $1000 in an established business, where books are open for inspection. Box B-16, Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Man with capital to invest in my patents; salary to right party; be interested, address Box 435, Altamont, Ill. (c)

WANTED—Party with $500, drive light delivery wagon; $18 week salary guaranteed; investment perfectly safe. Box H-218, Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—For position in good business, single man; no experience necessary; good salary; if employed, state where. Box B-74, Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Parties to invest money in newly patented articles that's 100 per cent profit; $500 or more required for start; no triflers. Box H-208, Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—A young man to take charge of art department and advertising service of a well-known printing house; must have executive ability and from $3000 to $5000. Box M-34, Post-Dispatch. (c)

WANTED—Manager-treasurer for a railway moving picture show; $500 to $1000 required; you will be satisfied with security, profits and salary. E. B. Jones, Illinois Bank Bldg., Springfield, Ill.

BUSINESS CHANCES

WILL FURNISH PARTY knowing good business $400. Explain. Box R-65, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN, stenographer, has $1000 to invest in a good business. Box N-258, P.-D.

WOMAN—With little money, take charge of rooming house, large profit. Box E-77, Post-Dispatch.

YOUNG man of good standing with seven years business experience and some capital desires interest in good retail business. Box R-249, Post-Dispatch.

YOUR 25-word advertisement placed in all of 30 good monthly magazines once $1.25; 3 months $2.50; write for list. F. L. Miller, Syracuse, N. Y.

$1 INVESTED IN OIL now may make $100 yearly or $8.25 per month. Get particulars. Box R-69, Post-Dispatch.

$20 BUYS deed to land, also interest in oil well that should pay you $100 for every dollar invested; payments $1 monthly; complete information free. Address Texas Gulf Co., 1001 Union Bank, Houston, Tex.

$5 TO $10 a day made easy with the Green Automatic Safety Razor Blade Sharpening Machine; sharpens, hones and strops, all in one operation; 4 to 9 blades a minute; write for free booklet. Am. Sharpening Machine Co., Chicago.

$100 TO EACH $1 INVESTED, made in great oil field where we are now drilling; you get interest in four wells and deed to land; invest now; terms, $1 monthly; write for details, free maps and views. Delmar Co-Operative Co., 301 First National Bank Bldg., Houston, Tex.

$10-$15 WEEKLY

Addressing envelopes and arranging names and addresses in spare time; easy, fascinating work, for either sex; particulars for 10c. Address E. C. McKibben, Memphis, Neb.

$12.50 INVESTED MAY MAKE $1000. Get warranty deed; also interest in co-operative well to be drilled near big gusher in field; terms, $1 cash, $1 monthly; 4-foot combination, $46; particulars free.

TRIANGLE OIL CO., 400 Carter Bldg., Houston, Tex.

ESTABLISHED MANUFACTURING BUSINESS.

Missouri corporation manufacturing patented staple necessity; gross profits 400 per cent; want secretary and treasurer; position permanent; salary liberal; require investment, on promotion basis. Box N-45, Post-Dis.

OIL WELL PAYS $100,000 MONTHLY.

In field where we have valuable leases; invest $10; get interested with

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

ADDING MACHINE—For sale, Burroughs, 6 columns, in excellent condition; only $85. Box R-239, Post-Dispatch.

ADDRESSOGRAPH—For sale, Model C; excellent condition; used only a short time; real bargain for quick sale. Box E-137, P.-D.

ADDRESSOGRAPH—For sale; also Graphotype, complete. McCoy-Weber Jewelry Co., Oriel Bldg., 6th and Locust sts. (c)

APPLES—For sale, fancy winesaps, very reasonable; will deliver. Tyler Warehouse Co.

AIR DRILL—For sale, medium size, will sell cheap. 812 Franklin. (c)

AQUARIUM—For sale; fine Japanese fantail, 25c each. Call any day or evening. 2701 Pestalozzi.

AQUARIUMS—For sale, all sizes, 30 inches long, 12 inches high, 12 inches wide, $6.50; will trade. 4531 Cote Brilliante.

AWNING—For sale, Daugherty $22 roller awning, 8x19 feet; good condition; price $15. Telephone Main 2638.

BABY CARRIAGE—For sale; wicker; cheap. 5415 Abner pl.

BABY CARRIAGE—For sale, in good condition, cheap. 5410 Alaska av.

BABY AND INFANTS' GOODS—For sale, complete line, consists of silk coats, covers, rattles, celluloid comb and brush sets; in fact, everything made for exclusive baby and infants' line; samples, used 3 weeks; like new; price 25c on the dollar; will be at Jefferson Hotel March 7. Sam Wagner.

BABY WALKERS—For sale; new; cheap; leaving city. F. O. Rich, 4531 McPherson, Forest 6300.

BARBER CHAIR—For sale; hydraulic; first-class condition. $10. 15 S. 9th st.

BEDSPREAD—For sale, large linen drawnwork; made in Old Mexico. Colfax 1036M.

BILLIARD and pool tables for sale; new and second-hand; repairing and supplies of all kinds. Schmidt, 1111 Pine. Main 2776, Central 4494. (c62)

BILLIARD AND POOL TABLES—For sale or rent; new or secondhand; cash or time, supplies and repairing; write for our new catalogue. Missouri Billiard Mfg. Co., 119 S. Broadway, St. Louis.

BILLIARD AND POOL TABLES—For sale, new or secondhand; several good secondhand 4x8 pool, complete outfit, $50; 1 4½x9 Brunswick-Balke, Monarch cushions, complete new outfit, $85. Miller Bros., 209 S. Broadway, St. Louis, Mo.

BOTTLES—For sale, drug, sundry and proprietary magnesia and nursing bottles, very cheap. 2537 Cass av.

BOOKS—For sale; $30 9th edition Encyclopedia Brittanica, good condition, cheap. 236 Vandeventer pl. Call Monday.

BOOK PRESS—For sale; Campbell, 2-revolution, 41x56, $200; Rival paper cutter, $80. Ad. J. H. Ballou, General Delivery, St. Louis, Mo.

BOTTLES—For sale, 300 gross standard size new bottles. Mr. Mason, phone Central 3710, Olive 2840. (c)

BUCKLES—For sale, two Confederate soldiers' belt buckles, very rare, $6 apiece. Box E-76, Post-Dispatch.

CASH REGISTER—For sale, 2-drawer, 4-button electric National; bargain. 815 N. 3d.

CASH REGISTER—National; good as new, $25. 15 S. 9th st.

CASH REGISTER—For sale; 2-drawer National, electric; cheap. 819 Franklin. (c)

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CASH REGISTER—Nice small size National; will sell cheap. Levy Bros., 313 S. 14th st.

CASH REGISTERS—For sale, 6 Nationals, very cheap; call today. 1966A Arsenal.

CASH REGISTERS—For sale; two National.

CASH REGISTER—For sale, National. Apply 4282A Arsenal st.

CASH REGISTERS—For sale, 4; National, total adders and others. 812 Franklin. (c)

CASH REGISTER—For sale; National; total adder; keyboard; nine 10 cents to $4; all call at 4320 N. Newstead.

CASH REGISTER—For sale; double drawer, total adder; National; cheap. Box B-148, Post-Dispatch.

CASH REGISTER—For sale, National, cost $85; sell for $30. Call Sunday; 2418 Glasgow av.

CASH REGISTERS—Welscher sells cash registers, $10 and up. 924 Wyoming st. or 2301 Washington av.

CASH REGISTERS—Total adders, guaranteed 3 years; rebuilt; in St. Louis; $10 sizes, $20 to $100; easy terms; both phones. St. Louis Cash Register Co., 2301 Washington av. (c62)

CASH REGISTER—For sale, National, almost new; has six clerk keys, received and counted key, paid-out key and charge key; will sell cheap. William Marsh, Iowa City, Ia.

CEMETERY LOT—For sale, Valhalla; $150; less than market price. Box R-121, Post-Dispatch.

CEMETERY LOT—For sale; in Valhalla, 14-grave lot, or drive, may be divided into two lots. Box R-264, Post-Dispatch.

COSTUMER—For sale; rugs; Underwood typewriter, silk Boaten's hat. Call 3097.

DEER HEAD—Fine specimen, 14 points; for sale very reasonable. 3103 Cass av. (c)

DESKS—Chairs, tables and filing cabinets at a bargain. 402 N. 3d st. (c99)

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DESK—For sale; 5-foot quarter-sawed oak; first-class condition; reasonable. 215 S. 14th. (c)

DESK—For sale; roll top; with revolving chair; fine condition; $15. 915 N. Broadway. (c)

DIAMONDS, watches, etc.; special values; easy terms. Loftis Bros. & Co., National Credit Jewelers, 2d floor, 308 N. 6th st. (c9)

DRAWING TABLE—For sale; 38x42; adjustable iron base. 3201 Indiana av.

DRESS FORM—For sale, cheap; all adjustments, good opportunity for dressmaker, call Victor 3472R. (c)

DYES—For sale, aniline, 246 oz. Box B-106, Post-Dispatch.

EAGLE and Lamb stamps, loose or unfinished books; drop postal. 1109 Victor.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS—For sale, two white way electric lights, cheap. Box B-147, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FISH AQUARIUMS—For sale, fine, large fish; call Monday, 2764 Park. (c)

FIXTURES—For sale, display counter, ice-box, modern restaurant outfit. 4904 Berlin av. Forest 1338.

FORMULAS—For sale, by chemist; any kind you let me know your wants. Box E-107, Post-Dispatch. (c)

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GAS RANGE—For sale; Detroit Jewel; also gas water heater; very reasonable. 5325 Easton av. (c)

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GAS RANGE—For sale, Quick Meal, enamel front, high oven, like new; sell reasonable. 3908 De Tonty st.

GAS RANGE—For sale, Quick Meal, cost $41 cash; will sell at sacrifice. 2821 Easton av., Sunday, 10 to 2.

GAS RANGE—For sale, and coal range; good as new; must sell; leaving city. 3341 Ohio av.

GAS RANGE—For sale; Quick Meal; and gas chandeliers, in good condition. 2724 Ann av.

GAS RANGES—For sale; 50 renewed Quick Meals; A1 condition; delivered and connected, $6 up; other good makes. Prosser's, 3220 Olive st. (c92)

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GAS STOVE—For sale; will sell reasonable. Victor 2881R, or call at 3118 Potomac.

GAS STOVE—For sale; 1 counter, 4 stools; no dealers. Call 1120 Russell.

GAS WATER HEATER—For sale; Quick Meal, also Majestic gas range; absolutely perfect; sacrifice. 5341 Wells.

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HEATING STOVE—For sale; carpets. 3202 Winnebago.

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CLOTHING

BOYS' SHOES—Box calf, sizes 12½ to 5½; $1 per pair.
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4426 Page.

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DIAMOND—For sale, unredeemed $100 diamond for amount loaned. Call between 12 and 1, Boutell, 1401 Pierce Bldg.

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TO EXCHANGE

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FORD—For sale; roadster, 1914, excellent condition; Packard roadster, cheap. South Side Garage, 2339 S. Grand. (c)

FORD—For sale; 1914 touring car; in first-class condition; must be sold today. Phone Bomont 78. (c)

FORD—For sale, touring car; good condition; cheap for quick sale; leaving city. 7011 Minnesota.

FORD—For sale, 1914; starter, shock absorber, seat covers, 2 extra casings; other accessories; sell reasonable. Wilson, 1649 S. Grand. (c7)

FORD—For sale, 1915, touring car, used very little and in perfect condition, electric lights from large storage battery, seat covers, $390. Sanner, 4100 Laclede. Lindell 5455. (c)

FORD—For sale; have 1914 Ford touring car for $275; same is in excellent mechanical condition and has full equipment, including good tires; electric horn, etc.; will demonstrate. Box E-156, Post-Dispatch. (c)

HUDSON—"33" touring; body fully equipped; paint and tires very good; big bargain. $250. Wilson, 1649 S. Grand. (c7)

HUDSON—Touring car for sale, 0-54, perfect guaranteed condition; will sell cheap; terms to responsible people; write Box M-8, P.-D.

HUDSON—For sale, touring car; model '33; excellent running order; must be sold at once. 918 Pendleton. Delmar 261, Lindell 91.

HUDSON—For sale; 5-passenger; 1912; just overhauled and repainted; all good tires; runs like a top; must see to appreciate. Box M-23, Post-Dispatch.

HUDSON—First reasonable offer takes 1914 6-40, 7-passenger Hudson touring car; same is in mechanical shape and the equipment is complete, including electric starter and lights; extra tire and rim, seat covers, etc.; will demonstrate. Box M-101, Post-Dispatch. (c)

KISSEL—For sale; touring car; nice, small, 5-passenger car; cheap. Dorris, 4100 Laclede. (c)

MARMON—For sale; 1911; 5-passenger; party hurried; good thing; good chance for mechanic to make money; make offer. Box R-117, Post-Dispatch.

MOON—For sale; 7-passenger, touring car. Apply Sunday, 3634 Bell. Jos. W. Moon Buggy Co., Main and Douglas. (c)

MOON—For sale; 5-passenger, A1 condition; cash or trade for clear real estate. Box 481, Wellston Postoffice.

MOON—Touring car for sale; 5-passenger, good condition; want smaller car and cash; make offer. Box M-9, Post-Dispatch.

MOON—For sale; 1915, 6, 7-passenger touring car; just like new. See Clark, 4100 Laclede. (c)

NATIONAL—For sale; beautiful 4-40, 1911 touring; electric light and starter; just painted and overhauled; like new. Phone Colfax 1309. (c)

OLDSMOBILE—For sale; special model 7-passenger touring car, in excellent condition and splendid mechanical shape; four good tires, including one extra tire; demountable rims; chassis can be used for delivery purposes. This is a great bargain—a value that must be seen to be fully appreciated. Can be seen any day at Famous-Barr Co. Relay Station, Hodiamont and Etzel avs. Price only $250. (c)

OVERLAND Wtd.—Secondhand, touring car, call Monday, 1819 Railway Exchange Bldg.

OVERLAND—For sale, 4-passenger; in good condition; $250. 2814 Louisiana.

OVERLAND—For sale; 1916; 5-passenger touring car; repainted; perfect condition; $800. Overland Automobile Co., 2311 Locust.

OVERLAND—For sale; 5-passenger, 4-cylinder; 1910 model; new tires, bumper, extra tire; all mechanical condition; $550 cash only. For information call Olive 3036. Address J. A. Sullivan, 911 Locust.

PACKARD 30—For sale; touring car; good condition; $800. Donnelly Automobile Co., 220 and Pine sts. (c99)

PATHFINDER—Must sell my 7-passenger, electric starter, good tires, fine condition; $500. 4430 Morgan.

PIERCE-ARROW—For sale; 6-cylinder, 5-passenger, in A1 condition; fuel overhauled; new tires; will sell cheap for cash; leaving the State. Cabany Motor Car Co. (c)

REGAL—For sale; 7-passenger; good condition; $250. Delmar 2511 and Forest 1069.

REGAL—For sale; five-passenger, a snap, $150, at 1512 Locust st. (c37)

REGAL—For sale; 1911 model; in running order; $125; must have garage space. Grand 2770. 4082 Shaw av.

REO—For sale, 1912 5-pass. touring car; good condition, cheap. Call Cabany 2592. (c)

REO—For sale; 1912; touring; cheap. 19 S. 20th st. (c7)

REO—Am going to sell 1912 5-passenger Reo touring car for $250; this is an exceptional bargain, the car being in fine shape. Box M-141, Post-Dispatch. (c)

STANLEY STEAMER—For sale; 30-h. p., 5 p.; or will trade, at 5883 Delmar bl. p.

STUDEBAKER—For sale, will demonstrate; make offer. 5328 Maple av.

STUDEBAKER 20—For sale; good mechanical condition. See Mr. Lofland, 2217 Locust st. (c)

STUDEBAKER—For sale; 5-passenger, at a bargain; see this car; will demonstrate; must be sold at once. 910 Passen st., Belefontaine car to 5500 south. (c)

STUDEBAKER—For quick sale will sacrifice 1914 6-cylinder, 7-passenger; same in fine running order and the equipment is complete; will consider time. Box M-96, P.-D. (c)

STUDEBAKER—For sale; five-passenger; in fine shape; must sell, will sacrifice; will make a good delivery wagon; make offer. 2301 Olive.

STUDEBAKER—Touring car for sale, light 7-passenger, electric starter and lights, perfect condition throughout; will demonstrate and guarantee; terms to suit. Box M-92, Post-Dispatch. (c)

STUDEBAKERS—Have two 1912 Studebaker 5-passenger touring cars I will sell at $275 each; cars are in fine mechanical condition and are a big bargain. Inquire Mr. Wells, 5201 Delmar bl. Monroe and Delmar 1100. (c)

STUTZ—You can buy my 1912 Stutz 5-passenger touring car very cheap if purchased this week. Car is in fine shape. Box M-129, Post-Dispatch.

VELIE—For sale, 5-passenger, 1913, electric lights, starter. Box H-144, P.-Dis.

WESCOTT—For sale; 1915, 7-passenger; in A1 condition; will make fine rental car. See Clark, 4100 Laclede. Lindell 5475. (c)

WHITE—For sale; touring car; been driven less than 5000 miles; looks and runs just like it did the day I got it; must sell. Box P-242. Post-Dispatch.

AUTO—Administrator's sale, 5-passenger, $170; can be seen at 2296 Locust.

AUTOMOBILE—For sale; 1916, 5-passenger, brand new, cost $1000; to close account will sell for $790. Box P-241, Post-Dispatch.

AUTOMOBILE—For sale, 5-passenger car, with starter; also 3-passenger Humpobile. All Paper Sox Co., 121 S. 8th st.

AUTO—For sale; my electric, recently repainted, battery practically new; must sell, will take $450 cash. Box H-144, P.-Dis.

AUTO—I will sell my 6-cylinder automobile for $350 if sold today; perfect condition. 4343 Natural Bridge rd.

AUTO—For sale; my electric car, late model, recently painted, battery thoroughly overhauled; must sell, need money. Box E-202, Post-Dispatch. (c)

AUTOMOBILE—For sale; 5-passenger touring car, in first-class running order; tires in good condition; must sell at once; price $250. 2716 Lafayette av. (c)

AUTO—For sale; 1915, 5-passenger six, high-powered, latest equipment, Hiffy curtains, perfect condition, 1915 model, less than half price at $750. Box R-107, Post-Dispatch.

BARGAINS in touring cars, roadsters and trucks, terms. Great Western Exchange, 2735 Olive. (c)

FOR SALE—1915 Detroit electric coupe, just like a new car; have no need for it. Box E-238, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FOR SALE—Or trade, beautiful, 2-passenger Enke electric coupe; will take player-piano or Victrola as part pay, balance cash. Box E-237, Post-Dispatch. (c68)

1914 PEERLESS

Six-cylinder, 7-passenger, electric starter and lights, demountable rims and extra tire. Seat covers. This car must be sold at once. Make me an offer. Box P-265, Post-Dispatch

TOURING CAR—For sale, or will trade for Ford. Call Monday, grocery, 2845 Morgan.

TOURING CAR—For sale, $125 takes 5-passenger car, in fine running condition, with new tires; will demonstrate. 5829 Easton.

TOURING CAR—For sale, 4-cylinder, 5-passenger, in fine running order; $90. Call quick sale. Call 1100 Cass av., before 1 p. m. Sunday.

TOURING CAR—For sale, four-cylinder, excellent condition, Continental motor, Westinghouse starter; take small car part payment. 611 Linden av., Clayton. Hanley 1073.

Packard "30" Bargains

Am leaving St. Louis March 1. Own two Packard "30's"; touring and limousine bodies for both cars—excellent running condition. I must sell at once. Box P-262, Post-Dispatch.

TOURING CAR—For sale; my husband's 5-passenger, 6-54; car completely overhauled 3 months ago, tires new; will take Ford or other light car as part payment; must dispose of this car at once and will make equitable deal. Box F-201, Post-Dis. (c)

A MARMON 41

A real automobile, in beautiful condition, for sale because the owner wants

A MARMON 34

It will not be sold cheap. If you want a good car, look at it and you will buy it or take one of the new 34s. Don't wait until good weather to buy or you will be disappointed in delivery. This car can be seen this week only.

MORE AUTOMOBILE CO.,
3005-7 Locust St.

ELECTRIC CAR BARGAINS

1915 Baker brougham, double drive.... $2500
1915 Baker 4-passenger coupe 1000
1913 Baker 2-passenger coupe 700
1911 Ohio 4-passenger coupe 500
1909 Rauch & Lang 4-passenger coupe.. 200
1907 Rauch & Lang 2-passenger coupe.. 175

PARK AUTOMOBILE CO.,
520 DELMAR BL.
MONROE 1100. DELMAR 1100.

TWO GOOD BARGAINS
1913 COLE 1914 COLE

Seven-passenger, 6-cylinder; good mechanical condition; demountable rims; good tires. Must sell these cars at once. Make me an offer. Box P-264, Post-Dispatch.

PACKARD BARGAIN

For sale, my "30" Packard seven passenger touring car; engine in fine working condition; car in first-class order; sell cheap. Apply

PACKARD MOTOR CO
22d and Locust St. (c80)

TOURING CARS FOR SALE

TOURING CAR—For sale; will consider team horses and wagon. Box N-84, P.-D.

I have a 1912 Oldsmobile, 4-cylinder, 7-passenger; will make a fine rental car. Mighty low cash offer takes it. Box P-263, Post-Dispatch.

TRUCKS FOR SALE

CHALMERS—For sale; 40, with truck body, new Lee non-skid and mechanically good. DE LUXE, 3104 LOCUST ST.

FORD—For sale, open delivery truck, like new; bargain. 4115 Greenlea bl.

FORD TRUCK—For sale; panel body, A1 condition, $250. 3938 Cote Brilliante.

FORD—For sale; truck; open body; $200. Wimer, 5210 Garfield av.

FORD—For sale; delivery truck; 1914 model; extra good condition. 4117 Labadie av.

FORD—For sale; commercial truck; extra touring body, horn, wind shield, etc. 4128A Chouteau.

FORD TRUCK—For sale; equipped with delivery body and canopy top; good as new; $300 cash. Phone Bomont 342 or Central 1578. Can be seen at 2807 Olive. (c)

MITCHELL DELIVERY—For sale, for $165; 1911 model; in good order. 1706 Cass. (c)

TRUCK—For sale; light delivery; cheap for cash. 8218 N. Broadway.

TRUCK BODY—For sale, ¾-ton Dorris, fit any standard car. 2435 Olive. 3044R. (c)

TRUCK—For sale; 1915, 3¼-ton Gram; body burnt, can be repaired; call St. Clair 393.

TRUCK—For sale; in storage, 1500-pound delivery truck. Apply 3628A Oregon.

TRUCK—For sale; 4-cylinder; express body; running order; $85. Apply Monday, 1635 S. Jefferson. (c)

TRUCK—For sale; two-ton; perfect condition; can be bought cheap. Schoenberg, 2022 De Kalb st.

TRUCK—For sale, one gas electric truck, capacity 5 tons, in good condition. J. A. Stern, 1634 Chestnut. (c99)

TRUCK—For sale, one 3-ton Universal, run about 10,000 miles; at a bargain. Apply E. J. White, West Kimmswick, Mo.

AUTO TRUCK—For sale, good condition, $250; time payments. Seifart's Garage, East St. Louis.

MOON TRUCKS

For every purpose. Terms to suit. JOS. W. MOON BUGGY CO., Main and Douglas. (c)

DORRIS

5-passenger; good mechanical condition; will make dandy truck; make me an offer. Box P-259, Post-Dispatch.

AUTOMOBILES—MISCELLANEOUS

CADILLAC—Will sacrifice my 1914 car, A1 condition; will demonstrate; phone Cabany 4770.

FORD—For sale; new; traded for your old Ford. Haupt Motor Co., agent, 4108 Olive.

FORD—For sale, with delivery body; used only four weeks; $400; will give terms to responsible party. Box A-217, P.-D. (c62)

FORD—For sale; 1915 roadster and touring car bodies. Bell, Tyler 1277; Kinloch, Central 5886. JOHN TOBINKA, 1406 N. 7th. (c)

FORD—If you intend buying a new Ford you lose money by not looking at a Ford we have for sale. See Mr. Olus. Frye Motor Car Co., 3333 Locust st.

HAVE you heard the way we sell stuff? 1914 Cadillac, $7500; Cadillac, 1913, $450; Cole, 1913, $350; Chalmers, 1912, $525. Cars as low as $90. See us now, not later; buy now and save money. Motors Clearing House, 1512 Locust. (c)

MAXWELL—For sale; 1912; good condition; bargain; $150. 3940 Laclede av. Lindell 4321.

MOTORS Clearing House, 1512 Locust st., has used cars at prices that will appeal to you. If interested see us. We don't ask more than the cars are worth, that's why we sell for cash only. (c)

PAIGE—Some people are content to ride in a "Page" car, but those who know insist on riding in a Paige. Before buying a new cheap car, look at our used Paige cars, which are much better than a new car at the same price. See Shoff, Frye Motor Car Co., 3533 Locust st. Bomont 1096. Central 1008.

PIERCE—For sale; 1911, small 6, with E. S. & L., in the best of condition. Must sell. 4037A Shaw av. (c)

STUDEBAKER—For sale, 1912, good condition, 2427 Menard; phone Victor 2130R (c)

AUTOMOBILES—For sale; greatest bargains ever offered: Hupmobile roadster, $150; Stearns 30, speedway, $250; Hudson 33, speedster, $250; Knox 45, speedster, $275; Oldsmobile defender, 5-passenger, 1913, $325; Speedwell, 5-passenger, 1912, $250; Stoddard-Dayton, 7-passenger, like new, $300; Marion, 5-passenger, 1914, self-starter, electric lights, $375; Cadillac, 1912, self-starter, electric lights, $400; Interstate, 1914, self-starter, electric lights, $425; Oldsmobile Special, 7-passenger, $335; Oldsmobile Aristocrat, 7-passenger, practically new, $350. You don't need all cash. Maxwell Bros. Auto Co., 3931-33 Olive. (c)

FOR automobiles, slightly used, see us. Motors Clearing House, 1512 Locust st. (c)

THE house of 100 bargains. Motors Clearing House, 1512 Locust. (c62)

AUTOMOBILES—For sale, special sale on used cars; these prices will interest you; must see to be examined the cars. Come early before the best ones are gone; our low price on new Studebaker cars enables us to secure used cars at very attractive prices:

1914 Ford roadster, good order	$300
1916 Studebaker, 6, demonstrator	900
1915 Studebaker, 6, new paint	800
1915 Studebaker, 4, roadster	800
1915 Studebaker, 4, touring	650
1914 Studebaker, 4, touring	550
1912 Studebaker, 20, touring	300
1912 Studebaker, 30, touring	400
1913 Cadillac roadster	550
1912 Studebaker 20, roadster	300
1911 Regal touring car	250
1912 Regal touring car, new tint	325
1912 Studebaker, 20, roadster	300
1913 Studebaker coupe, self-starter	550
1911 Hupp, coupe, new paint	300

These cars are ready to demonstrate and represent real bargains at prices quoted.
WEBER MOTOR CAR CO., 2217 Locust st.

I MUST dispose of 16 automobiles during the month of March and get rid of them very cheap, or else be forced to practically give them away. I have one each of the following: 1912 Interstate, 1914 Cadillac, 1913 Hudson, 1913 Regal roadster, 1912 Regal coupe, 1913 Cole touring, 1912 Bergdoll touring, 1912 Moon touring, 1912 Warren-Detroit coupe, 1914 Regal touring, 1913 R. C. H. coupe, 1912 Owen touring, 1913 Studebaker touring, 1911 Oldsmobile touring, 1911 Overland touring and 1911 Clark touring; write me or make an appointment to show you any of the above cars at once and you will get a demonstration and price, you will want this car. Write me immediately and help take one of these cars off my hands. Box M-45, Post-Dispatch.

PROSPECTIVE USED CAR BUYERS.

We aim to give you used cars of standard make, overhauled and repaired, in better condition and lower prices than others can, our facilities and volume of business enables us to do so.

WEBER IMPT. & AUTO CO., 1900 Locust st.

JITNEY BUSINESS

Start early and buy your car now; weather is getting good and these cars will soon be scooped up.

Mitchell six	$250
Regal	300
Chalmers 30	300
Studebaker	325
Maxwell 25	325
Oldsmobile	400

Terms to suit. Open Sundays.
DE LUXE, 3104 LOCUST ST.

SPECIAL AUTOMOBILE BARGAINS.

Buick, 4-cylinder, 2-passenger	$275
Cadillac, 4-cylinder, 5-passenger	425
Metz roadster, 4-cylinder, 2-passenger	425
R. C. H., 4-cylinder, 5-passenger	350
Studebaker, 4-cylinder, 5-passenger	375
Hupmobile, 4-cylinder, 5-passenger	400
Maxwell, 4-cylinder, 5-passenger	450
Mitchell, 6-cylinder, 2-passenger	500
Thorban, 6-cylinder, 7-passenger	500
Abbott-Detroit, with stake body	550
Hupmobile, 4-cyl., 5-pass., '32'	550
National, 4-cylinder, 5-passenger	550
Mitchell, 4-cylinder, 5-passenger	700
Gram truck 4-cyl., 1½-ton	800
Mitchell, 4-cyl., 7-pass., with starter	900

Also many others.
Terms: Cash payment, balance notes.
WEBER IMPT. & AUTO. CO., 1900 Locust.

AUTOMOBILE SALESMAN
TO SELL FRANKLIN CARS

Experience not essential. Apply Monday morning.
FRANKLIN AUTO AND SUPPLY CO.,
3215 LOCUST. (c)

CHALMERS USED CARS

This is a bulletin of used car bargains that it will pay you to look over:

1915 6-40 Chalmers 5-passenger touring	$1200
1915 36 Chalmers 5-passenger touring	950
1912 40 Chalmers 5-passenger touring	450
1913 30 Chalmers 5-passenger touring	425
1914 6-40 Hudson, 7-passenger touring	750
1914 6-cyl. Studebaker 7-pass. touring	675
1912 Stutz 5-passenger touring	500
1912 Stearns 5-passenger touring	400
1911 Pierce limousine	450
1907 28 Hudson roadster and coupe body	300
1911 Cadillac 5-passenger touring	325
1910 Studebaker 5-passenger touring	275
1912 Studebaker 5-passenger touring	250
1912 Reo, 5-passenger touring	250

We will be glad to demonstrate any of the above as they are all in fine condition.
PARK AUTOMOBILE CO.,
3201 DELMAR BL.
MONROE 1100. DELMAR 1100.

AUTOMOBILES—MISCELLANEOUS

RENEWED CARS
ARE BETTER VALUES THAN NEW CARS AT OR NEAR THE SAME PRICE

1912 Cadillac Phaeton, renewed, renickeled, repainted and new top. $600.

1914 Cadillac Coupe, renewed and repainted, a splendid appearing car, new tires. $1200.

1914 Cadillac 5-passenger touring car; renewed, renickeled, repainted and new top; a really beautiful car. $950.

1914 Chalmers Master Six touring car. $850.

1912 Cadillac Touring, 7-passenger, renewed and repainted, new top. $600.

1912 Cadillac Touring, 5-passenger, renewed and repainted, new top. $600.

1914 Cadillac Phaeton, renewed, renickeled, repainted. $900.

To inspect these cars will cost you a little time. To buy one will save you much money.

CADILLAC AUTOMOBILE CO
OF ST. LOUIS.
Renewed Car Dept.,
3917 Olive St.
Lindell 667. Delmar 4400.

GUARANTEED OVERHAULED USED CAR BARGAINS

Twenty hours' free service given with every car.

Cole—7-pass.; electric light and starter	$500
Overland—3-pass.; electric lighted	500
Packard—5-passenger	500
Ohio—5-passenger	350
Reo—5-passenger	350
Regal—5-passenger; electric lighted and starter	550

WES

ROOMS FOR RENT—CENTRAL

DICKSON, 3032—Second floor front room, for housekeeping; $2.50 week; also small room.
EASTON, 3109—Nicely furnished connecting rooms; housekeeping; with cook stove. (2)
EIGHTEENTH, 820 N.—Furnished front room.
FRANKLIN, 3504—Second-floor front room, all conveniences; hall room $1.25, $5 per week.
FRANKLIN, 3416—Well-heated second-floor room, hot water, all convs.
FRANKLIN, 3437—Large front parlor for sleeping and light housekeeping, hot bath.
FRANKLIN, 2610—Clean furnished front room; bath; private family; 3d floor; also back hall room.
FRANKLIN, 3129—Neatly furnished, large, housekeeping rooms; front and rear; windows; gas, bath; $2.
FRANKLIN, 3104—Nice, large south front room, connecting with kitchenette; all conveniences; $2.50.
FRANKLIN, 3104—Nice large 2d-floor front room, $2.50; connected with hall room if desired; gas range, all convs.
FRANKLIN, 3117—Large second-floor housekeeping rooms; bath; Kinloch phone; $1.50 week.
FRANKLIN, 817—Connecting housekeeping rooms; also cheap rear room, walking distance from all the larger stores; clean place; free phone.
GRAND, 1103A N.—Nice room, southern exposure; all conveniences.
GRAND, 1103A N.—Nice corner room, all conveniences.
GRAND, 1103A N.—Newly furnished rooms, for ladies employed.
JEFFERSON, 316 S.—Two connecting front rooms, for light housekeeping.
JEFFERSON, 1216 N.—One neat room, sink, $3 per month.
LACLEDE, 3443—Furnished rooms, single or en suite; gentlemen or couple; gas, bath, heat.
LACLEDE, 3513—Clean, warm rooms, well furnished for light housekeeping; gas, bath, laundry, furnace heat; $8.
LINDELL, 3528—Large front room; owner's home; $2.50 week, Lindell 4048. (1)
LINDELL, 3559A—Room, single, or with kitchenette; steam heat.
LINDELL, 3526—Finely furnished rooms, 2-story light, continuous hot water, free phone, owner's home. (3)
LINDELL BL., 3526—Handsomely furnished 2d-story front; 4 big windows; electric light; continuous hot water. (2)
LINDELL, 3546—Exceptionally pleasant, large, warm room, next to bath; every convenience; men preferred waiting permanent home. Phone Central 5085L.
LOCUST, 2844—Neatly furnished sleeping rooms; all conveniences; reasonable. (1)
LOCUST, 1015—Nicely furnished rooms with housekeeping if desired; $1.50 week up.
LOCUST, 2929—Don't live where you are not fully satisfied; come, see our place.
LOCUST, 2816—Nicely furnished rooms; reasonable; all conveniences.
LOCUST, 3000—First-floor front connecting rooms, light housekeeping.
LOCUST, 3127—Modern steam-heated rooms, $6 a day; $3 week; also rooms with private bath. (6)
LOCUST, 3121—Large front parlor; southern exposure; housekeeping; cooking gas, every convenience; reasonable.
LOCUST, 2929—Warmest and cleanest house in town; rooms exceptionally homelike; references required.
LOCUST, 3739—Front parlor and connecting rooms, bath, gas, furnace, hall room, $1.25 week.
LOCUST, 2325—Furnished rooms, electric lights; hot bath, $1.25 and up; conveniences; three car lines.
LOCUST, 2929—Nicest room for housekeeping at the price, in the city; references required.
LOCUST, 3015—Two connecting rooms, private bath, all conveniences; reasonable; free phone.
LOCUST, 2525—Furnished rooms, electric light, hot bath, $1.25 up; convenient three car lines.
LOCUST, 3142—Nicely furnished housekeeping room; steam heat; gas range; private bath; kitchenette; $5.
LOCUST, 2826—Newly furnished sanitary rooms, $2.50 up, for men only; bath, hot water all hours; furnace heat, electric lights, Bell phone.
LUCAS, 3215—Elegantly furnished front room; hot water, all conveniences. Phone Central 9202X.
LUCAS, 3206—Handsomely furnished sleeping room; private family; 12 minutes from Broadway; Park car.
LUCAS, 3421—Nice, clean, beautiful housekeeping rooms; steam heat; gas range; all conveniences; reasonable; respectable only.
MADISON, 1220A—Y. or 2 nicely furnished rooms; reasonable.
MORGAN, 3214—Housekeeping, $1.50; one large room; gas, steam heat, laundry.
MORGAN, 3027—Large front hall room; well furnished; warm; conveniences; stationary washstand; $1.
MORGAN, 1816—Nicely furnished front and back rooms; gentlemen or housekeeping; $1.25 week up.
MORGAN, 3506—Furnished for housekeeping, connecting front and other rooms; laundry, phone, furnace, etc.
OLIVE, 2329—Three rooms, $8; two rooms, $8 month; water in rooms, bath, yard. (3)
OLIVE, 3214—Nicely furnished front room; neat, clean, cozy and comfortable. (8)
OLIVE, 3136—Clean housekeeping room, new furnace; gas, bath, laundry.
OLIVE, 3225—Two front, light housekeeping, piano; no other roomers; $3; Central 8606L.
OLIVE, 2650—Nice rooms, with or without light housekeeping; respectable place.
OLIVE, 3123—Four nicely furnished rooms, with or without light housekeeping; $1.25 up; gas for illuminating and cooking.
OLIVE, 3214—Neatly furnished rooms; sleeping only; with furnace heat, gas, hot and cold water, telephone service; day or week.
PINE, 3558—Sleeping and housekeeping rooms, second floor, steam heat, hot bath.
PINE, 1406—Five rooms, second floor, nice living room. Apply 601 Pine st.
PINE, 1419-1421—Nicely furnished rooms for gentlemen; electric light; hot bath; $2 per week.
ROOM—Beautiful front room, in private family, for couple; hot-water heat; every convenience. Lindell 4614W.
ROOM—First-class, furnished, front, central-ly located, strictly private family, in steam apartment; continuous hot water, for gentleman or lady employed; price $15 per month. Lindell 4807W.
SPRUCE, 507—Have nearly furnished rooms by day or week, also housekeeping rooms; $1.25 week.
THERESA, 907 N.—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping or sleeping; steam heat, electricity, hot and cold water. Phone Central 9854R.
WASHINGTON, 2810—Nicely furnished small room, for gentlemen; electric lights, steam heat.
WASHINGTON, 3049—South front, $3; single, $2; steam, electricity, hot baths, phone; easy walk.
WASHINGTON, 2710—Nicely furnished, steam-heated rooms, electric lights, for gentlemen or housekeeping.
WASHINGTON, 3145—Large room, gas range, heat; free phone; hot water; two; steam heat.
WASHINGTON, 2808—Nicely furnished front room; gentlemen; first floor; also housekeeping room, all conveniences.
WASHINGTON, 2816—First-class, large 2d-floor front room, telephone, continuous hot water.
WASHINGTON, 3418—Connecting housekeeping rooms; gas range, steam heat; free phone.
WASHINGTON, 3520—Furnished rooms; electric lights steam heat; sleeping or housekeeping.
WASHINGTON, 2822—Nicely furnished front rooms for housekeeping; all conveniences; reasonable.
WASHINGTON, 3120—Beautiful second-floor front and connecting rooms, all conveniences; steam heat; free Bell phone; reasonable rates; housekeeping if desired.

SOUTH

ALBION PL., 2342—Clean, light room; electric lights; hot and bath; private family.
ALLEN, 2750—One large front room and kitchenette, light, heat and bath.
ARKANSAS, 2611—Nicely furnished room, for gentleman or lady; private family. Grand 4536J.
ARSENAL, 3624A—Large furnished room; strictly modern; private family.
ARSENAL, 3934—Nice, bright furnished room; private residence; steam heat; both phones.
ARSENAL, 3930—Furnished room for one or two; ladies employed; modern private residence; phone.
BOTANICAL, 3846A—Furnished room; private family; all conveniences. (7)
BOTANICAL, 3668A—Large south room; board optional; convenient to 4 cars.
BROADWAY, 2844 S.—Upstairs, nicely furnished room for gentlemen.
BROADWAY, 2844 S.—Second floor, nicely furnished, large housekeeping room, to small family; water inside.
CALIFORNIA, 3000—Neatly furnished room, for working girl; furnace heat, bath, electric light; with separate entrance; with private family; convenient to 4 car lines; reasonable.
CAROLINE, 3722—Nicely furnished front room; lady employed; kitchen privileges; reasonable.
CHEROKEE, 2214—Furnished sleeping room, electric light, furnace heat, hot bath, $2 per week.
CHIPPEWA, 2821—Two connecting rooms, for light housekeeping, $2.50; also large front room.
CLEVELAND, 3629A—Lovely light room; all conveniences; kitchen privileges; phone; in small private family; $10 per month; Park and Compton cars.
COMPTON, 1305 S.—Two rooms, all conveniences, phone, electric lights, two car lines; reasonable.
DILLON, 1320—Furnished room; three windows; for one or two men, $1.25 each.
DILLON, 1321—Second-floor front room, alcove; gentlemen or housekeeping; also hall room.
EIGHTEENTH, 1023 S.—Furnished or unfurnished rooms; gas. (7)
EIGHTEENTH, 1124 S.—Front room with alcove, and two connecting rooms for housekeeping.
ELEVENTH, 2319 S.—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping.
ELEVENTH, 2624 S.—Two rooms and kitchen; cellar, attic, yard and laundry; $9.50.
FLAD, 4104—Furnished room, with board, $5 per week.
GEYER, 2741—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; also one for gentlemen.
GEYER, 2740—Fine little room; suitable for one party; housekeeping if desired; $2 week.
GRATTAN, 1039—Two connecting housekeeping rooms; $2.50.
GRAVOIS, 2922—3 large, rooms, shades, screens and laundry; will decorate; $12.
HARTFORD, 3822—Nicely furnished front hall room, all conveniences; private family.
HARTFORD, 3622A—Front room with board; furnace heat; substantial board; reasonable; gentlemen. (1)
HENRIETTA, 2841—One nicely furnished room for two; with meals if desired.
HENRIETTA, 2848—One furnished room; convenient to 3 car lines. Bell phone free.
HICKORY, 1825—Two rooms, 3d floor; steam heat and gas; furnished for housekeeping.
HICKORY, 1808—Furnished rooms for one or two gentlemen; private family.
HICKORY, 1302—Furnished front parlor, use of piano; $2 week; also hall room.
HICKORY, 1916—Connecting front room, furnished for light housekeeping; bath, gas, laundry; no children.
JEFFERSON, 3427 S.—Suite completely furnished for housekeeping rooms; no children.
LAFAYETTE, 2834—Two nice furnished connecting housekeeping rooms.
LAFAYETTE, 1506—Front housekeeping room, $1.25 and up; gas, bath, laundry, phone.
LAFAYETTE, 2630—Front housekeeping room; gas range, sewing machine, bath, laundry; $3, $2.25.
LAFAYETTE, 2645—Two neatly furnished rooms; light housekeeping; gas, heat, bath; private family.
LA SALLE, 1320—Large rooms, for light housekeeping; gas; hall room, $1.
LA SALLE, 922—Furnished room, with or without board.
LA SALLE, 3401—Nicely furnished room for light housekeeping; water in.
LA SALLE, 903—Three rooms, second floor; newly decorated; bath, gas, laundry, $10. Central 9394X.
McDONALD, 3605—Large front room, 1 or 2 ladies; all conveniences.
McDONALD, 3627A—1 furnished room, southern exposure; hot water and heat; private family; references.
MAGNOLIA, 3440A—Desirable south room, furnished; private home; three car lines; Grand 3913J.
MARINE, 3866—Two bright furnished rooms for light housekeeping, water and gas, $2.25.
MISSISSIPPI, 1726—Two nice, extra large, connecting front rooms, newly and completely furnished for housekeeping; gas range, steam heat and hot water at all hours. (7)
MISSOURI, 1407—Neatly furnished rooms, electric light, bath and phone; references exchanged; Grand 1679.
NINTH, 1520A S.—Furnished hall room.
NINTH, 1435 S.—Furnished room for one or two gentlemen.
OHIO, 2247—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. (1)
OREGON, 1920—Two connecting front and hall rooms, furnished complete for housekeeping; hot bath, laundry, gas, linens finished; private family.
PARK, 3139—Nicely furnished rooms; furnace heat and hot water.
PENNSYLVANIA, 1827—Rooms, furnished for gentlemen only. (7)
PENNSYLVANIA, 3250A—Small room, bath, furnace, electric lights, washing, ironing; to lady employed.
PESTALOZZI, 2231 N.—One, two or three modern rooms, furnished or unfurnished; hot bath.
RUSSELL, 2718½—Nicely furnished room for two.
RUSSELL, 2631—Large front room; southern exposure; light housekeeping. Grand 1689.
RUSSELL, 2317A—Large front room, nearly furnished; electric lights, furnace heat; one or two gentlemen; hot water; private home.
RUTGER, 1116—Large furnished room, one or two; furnace heat; hot bath; private home.
RUTGER, 1111—Housekeeping or sleeping rooms, hot bath, linens, $2 to $3. (7)
RUTGER, 910—Two rooms and kitchens; gas, water; southern exposure; $2.25 to $2.50 week.
ST. ANGE, 1315—2d floor front connecting housekeeping rooms; also hall room, 10c.
SHAW, 3960A—Nicely furnished front room, sleeping only; all conveniences; near Park, Compton and Grand cars; reasonable. (7)
SHENANDOAH 3643—2 front south rooms, light housekeeping; free phone; 3 cars.
SHENANDOAH, 4161A—Nicely furnished rooms, for couple or 2 gentlemen.
SHENANDOAH, 4049—Furnished room, for 1 or 2; all conveniences; private family.
SHENANDOAH, 3925A—Elegant, large furnished front room; reasonable. (9)
SIDNEY, 2002—2 or 3 rooms, furnished or unfurnished; gas or electric light, toilet and bath; both phones; very reasonable.
SWAN, 4242—Nicely furnished front room.
TYLER, 3236—Three rooms, 1st floor, $9; call Sunday.
TWELFTH, 1029 S.—Front, back and connecting rooms; housekeeping families or gentlemen; $1.75 up.

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AUBERT, 737A—Beautiful south rooms; all conveniences; private family; reasonable.
AUBERT, 723—Beautiful 2d-floor front room, near Delmar and King's highway; every convenience; private.
AUBERT, 747—Nicely furnished rooms, home comforts, between Hodiamont and Olive cars; 4900 west, Forest 4583W.
AUBERT, 741—Large room, 2 southern-exposed windows; opposite reception hall; hot-water heat, phone; $8.
BARTMER, 6138—2 connecting rooms, first floor, suitable for 4; $4.50; 2 rooms, $2.50.
BARTMER, 6024—Two rooms; housekeeping, gas, electric, laundry, steam heat; clean, neat and comfortable.
BARTMER, 5595—Pleasant, well-lighted, furnished front room; hot water heat, southern exposure; respectable, neighborhood.
BAYARD, 735A—Nicely furnished room for gentleman; private family; convs.
BELL, 3875—Two connecting front rooms; light housekeeping; gas, furnace; everything complete; $3 per week.
BERLIN, 6002A—Very attractive room; telephone Cabany 5072.
BLACKSTONE, 1381—Furnished rooms with kitchen; private family; Page or Wellston car; reasonable.
CABANNE, 5015—Beautiful clean and nicely furnished rooms, strictly modern residence, hot-water heat and continuous hot water, private home; gentlemen. Forest 4613.
CATES, 5190—Large comfortable room, lady employed; private family; Hodiamont car; reasonable. Forest 6873R.
CATES, 5003A—Well-heated room; outside exposure; modern conveniences; $2.50 a week. Monroe 1073W.
CLARA, 730—Large front room, furnished or unfurnished; in apartment; reasonable, Gregory.
COOK, 3924—Furnished front room; sleeping or light housekeeping; furnace heat.
COOK, 4242—Three furnished rooms; all conveniences; no other roomers; adult family.
COOK, 3617—Nicely furnished room, very reasonable, for gentlemen only.
COOK, 3664—Second-floor rooms, for one or two gentlemen; near cars; small fam.
COOK, 4269—Three fine south rooms, large closets; housekeeping; every convenience.
COOK, 4267—3 rooms, on 2d floor; nicely furnished for housekeeping, suitable for four adults; all modern conveniences.
COOK, 3670—Large second-floor front and other furnished or unfurnished. Lindell 3918R.
COOK, 4299E—Furnished room, for housekeeping; private family; no children; reasonable; hot bath.
COOK, 4244—Unfurnished or furnished rooms for light housekeeping; heat; gas, bath and laundry.
COOK, 4296—Extra large front room; nicely furnished; 2 men or housekeeping; reasonable.
COOK, 3939—Elegant housekeeping room and kitchenette; gas range, hot water, free phone. Lindell 3805W.
COOK, 3957—Large front room, furnished for housekeeping; all conveniences; furnace heat, phone.
COOK, 3629—Nicely furnished room for gentlemen; private home; reasonable. Lindell 3656W.
COOK, 3663—Connecting second-floor front rooms; southern exposure; housekeeping; private family.
COOK, 4522—Connecting rooms; light housekeeping; free Bell phone; all conveniences; vacant the 10th.
COOK, 4278—Furnished for housekeeping, large room and kitchen; gas range, bath, gas, furnace heat; two girls employed preferred; $1.25 a week each.
DELIVERVILLE, 3705—Front single room, all conveniences, phone Cabany 5072. (7)
DELMAR BL., 3940—Front room, for one or two employed people. Delmar 2850J.
DELMAR BL., 5880A—Nicely furnished room with steam heat; continuous hot water.
DELMAR BL., 4431—Nicely furnished single room, 2d floor; all conveniences.
DELMAR BL., 5196A—One or two light housekeeping rooms; all conveniences.
DELMAR BL., 4324—Two large connecting rooms for light housekeeping; every conv.
DELMAR BL., 3891—Newly furnished rooms, electric lights, steam heat; $1.50, $2.25; $3.
DELMAR BL., 4019—Nicely furnished, clean rooms, housekeeping; gas range, electric lights; every convenience.
DELMAR BL., 4021—Large front room, with southern exposure; furnished or unfurnished; also two large 3d floor rooms.
DELMAR BL., 4315—Beautifully furnished sleeping room, suitable for gentlemen or ladies employed; conveniences.
DELMAR BL., 5060—Large, nicely furnished room; gentlemen or housekeeping; $3; kitchen privileges.
DELMAR BL., 4363—Nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, southern exposure; Bell phone; also garage.
DELMAR BL., 4206—Large, neatly furnished room, private family, all conveniences, free phone $1.50 week; all.
DELMAR BL., 3837—Furnished for housekeeping; two rooms, with kitchenette; furnace heat, free phone; $5.
DELMAR BL., 3965—Cheerful, well furnished rooms; continuous hot water; $1.75 to $3; Lindell 3922R.
DELMAR BL., 3726—Well-heated front rooms, refined home, $2.50 to $4; housekeeping if desired.
DELMAR BL., 3923—2d-floor front housekeeping room; nicely furnished; bath, gas, heat; reasonable.
DELMAR BL., 5028A—Nicely furnished room; all conveniences; steam heat; private Christian home.
DELMAR BL., 4356—Nice sleeping and housekeeping rooms; every convenience; Lindell 3308.
DELMAR BL., 4017—Two rooms, furnished complete for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.
DELMAR BL., 3822—Neatly furnished rooms, sleeping or housekeeping; modern; quiet home; heat, phone; reasonable.
DELMAR BL., 4467A—Desirable rooms, for 1 or 2 gentlemen; also small room. Forest 4473.
DELMAR BL., 4421—Two connecting rooms, for light housekeeping, phone, electric, etc.; $5.50 weekly.
DELMAR BL., 3937—Newly furnished 2d-floor front housekeeping rooms, gas range; all conveniences; reasonable.
DELMAR BL., 4264—Kitchen and sleeping room; also living room; $2.50. Lindell 1508.
DELMAR BL., 3741—Beautifully furnished light housekeeping rooms, first or second floor; very reasonable. Lindell 4196. (3)
DELMAR BL., 5147A—Two cheerful housekeeping rooms; continuous hot water; immaculate; no children.
DELMAR BL., 4413—Furnished rooms, electric light, free phone; housekeeping privileges.
DELMAR BL., 4471—Large, light room, furnace; continuous hot water; electricity; gentlemen; $3. Forest 322. (1)
DELMAR BL., 3870—Elegant furnished rooms for housekeeping; electric light; Bell phone; reasonable. (7)
DELMAR BL., 4051—Beautifully furnished southern exposed parlor, for two; $4; also front room for housekeeping room, $3.
DELMAR BL., 4808A—Housekeeping, sleeping, clean, warm, homelike; gas, linens; $1.50 up.
DELMAR BL., 5032A—Large front room, nicely furnished; newly decorated; electricity, steam heat, Bell phone.
DELMAR BL., 4038—Single rooms, completely furnished; light housekeeping; bath phone, furnace, hall.
DELMAR BL., 3814—Two rooms, complete for housekeeping; also bright sleeping room; conveniences. (7)
DELMAR BL., 3236—Room for 1 or 2 gentlemen, containing hot and cold water; electricity. (1)
DELMAR BL., 4463A—Furnished front room, electric; plenty heat; Bell phone and all conveniences.
DELMAR BL., 5139—Room; hot water heat; continuous hot water; immaculate; quiet, settled people; references.
DELMAR BL., 3931—Southern-exposed front room; also hall room; reasonable. Phone, electricity, hot water.
DELMAR BL., 3917—For light housekeeping, first or second floor, single or connecting; south exposure.
DELMAR BL., 5149A—Large room and kitchenette, completely furnished for housekeeping; steam heat; phone; refined couple; references.
DELMAR BL., 3829—Nicely furnished 2d floor front room, with alcove; southern exposure; hot-water heat; electricity; continuous hot water; every convenience; reas.
DELMAR BL., 3971—Three 2d-floor furnished rooms for housekeeping; electric lights; gas; hot and cold running water; private bath; reasonable. (2)
DELMAR BL., 5077—Newly furnished, light outside rooms; modern; 3-story apartment building; no rooming house; $10 to $20. Phone Long, Forest 7705.
DELMAR BL., 5139—Two connecting housekeeping rooms, complete; hot water, janitor; immaculate; refined, settled couple; references required.
EASTON, 3945—Small store, with fixtures, suitable for light lunch, bakery; low rent.
EASTON, 4917A—Small, neatly furnished front room.
EASTON, 4438A—Furnished room for one or two men; all conveniences; private family.
EASTON, 4733A—Two furnished or unfurnished rooms, both or separate; private family.
EASTON, 4242—Room, kitchen; bath, gas; $6; light housekeeping, kitchen; large yard; $1.50 weekly.
ETZEL, 6128—Furnished hall room, bath, hot water heat, $1.50 week; Page, Hodiamont cars.
ETZEL, 6027—Neatly furnished room, closet; all conveniences; hot-water heat; excellent car service.
ETZEL, 5761—Two connecting housekeeping rooms; steam-heated; hot water; electricity; nice location; all conveniences; adults; reasonable. Cabany 5209.
EUCLID, 744 N.—Neatly furnished room, for gentlemen; reasonable.
EUCLID, 762 N.—Neatly furnished rooms; also light housekeeping; reasonable. Forest 2871.
EUCLID, 740—Regular kitchen and other rooms; continuous hot water; clean, quiet; no children.
EUCLID, 1255 N.—Front, connecting, housekeeping rooms; good heat, hot bath, electric lights; reasonable.
EUCLID, 1257—Front connecting housekeeping rooms; good heat, hot bath, electric lights; reasonable.
EUCLID, 1524—3 rooms alcove and bath, beautifully furnished, newly decorated, must be seen to be appreciated; private family. Forest 1368W.
FINNEY, 3701—Two light, unfurnished and two furnished rooms; all conveniences.
FINNEY, 3712—1 or 2 rooms, nicely furnished for housekeeping; gas, bath, phone.
FINNEY, 3636—Housekeeping; 1st-floor front, $7.75; heat, gas; Page cars; new management.
FINNEY, 3646—Housekeeping rooms; gas stove; electric lights; large closet; good laundry; $2.50.
FOREST PARK BL., 4404—3 large furnished light housekeeping room; private family; conveniences.
FOREST PARK BL., 4036—Two rooms, third floor, furnished or unfurnished; also front room.
FYLER, 3951—A large room, with bay window and alcove; also smaller one.
GAMBLETON PL., 6152—Two rooms, furnished housekeeping, $16 monthly; electricity, bath, private family; phone.
GRAND, 1421 N.—Beautiful front parlor for housekeeping; hot water, gas, linens.
HAMILTON TERRACE, 5921—Elegant rooms, with all conveniences; reasonable.
HODIAMONT, 1200A—One or two furnished rooms; front room. Delmar 1200L.
KENSINGTON, 5126—Beautiful rooms, all conveniences; private family; phone.
KENSINGTON, 5014A—Large so. ex. room, in private family; near two car lines.
KENSINGTON, 5184—Large south room, $3 week; modern conveniences.
KENSINGTON, 5032—Choice furnished room, private family; Hodiamont, Olive cars; all conveniences; gentleman; reasonable. (1)
KING'S HIGHWAY, 1010A N.—Housekeeping rooms, convenient, cheap rent; small sleeping room; corner house.
KING'S HIGHWAY, 1309A N.—Beautiful front room, steam heated, clean and comfortable; reasonable; Page car.
KING'S HIGHWAY, 936A N.—South room, private home of two; kitchen privileges; reasonable; Hodiamont car.
LACLEDE, 4371—One neatly furnished room; modern conveniences; Bell phone.
LACLEDE, 4318—Nicely furnished front room on 2d floor; all conveniences.
LACLEDE, 4048—Two connecting furnished light housekeeping rooms; all conveniences.
LACLEDE, 3727—Furnished or unfurnished, light housekeeping or sleeping; large, light, modern and moderate.
LACLEDE, 3719—Nicely furnished housekeeping or sleeping rooms; free phone, furnace heat.
LACLEDE, 4312—Neatly furnished room for gentlemen; all conveniences; reasonable; board obtainable. Delmar 3798J.
LINDELL BL., 3631—Large, light, southern exposed room, steam heat, electric lights, free telephone; hot water; $2.50 to $3.50.
LINDELL BL., 4305—Large double front room; also single; hot water heat; excellent meals; reasonable. Kinloch 1508.
LINDELL BL., 3631—Two large connecting rooms, private bath, telephone; electric lights, steam heat, coolest place in St. Louis in summer.
McMILLAN, 4743A—Neatly furnished, large room; also small room; reasonable.
McMILLAN, 4528A—Furnished rooms, for housekeeping, without; furnace, electric lights, small family, no roomers.
McPHERSON, 3945A—Nicely furnished rooms, all conveniences; Lindell 5622R.
McPHERSON, 4007—Two rooms, 2d floor, furnished complete for housekeeping; gas range, electricity, free phone; rates $8.
McPHERSON, 3945—Nice room, all conveniences, reasonable; gentlemen. Lindell 5569R.
McPHERSON, 4623—Lovely room, suitable for one employed; reasonable; all conveniences. Forest 4618.
McPHERSON, 3945—Front room, steam heat, couple or gentlemen; two blocks south of Olive.
McPHERSON, 4166—Nicely furnished room, continuous hot water; clean; free phone, Lindell 5078.
McPHERSON, 4167—Large, light, warm room, suitable for two; in comfortable modern home; rent reasonable. (1)

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McPHERSON, 4422A—Nicely furnished back parlor, kitchen; electric; baby no objection. Forest 1946W.
McPHERSON, 4118A—Pleasant south room, steam heat; all conveniences; private family. Lindell 5505. (7)
McPHERSON, 4042—Nicely furnished room; private family; southern exposure; 2d floor; all conveniences; for gentlemen; $2 per week. Bell phone.
McPHERSON, 4051—Private family; nicely furnished south front and connecting rooms, 2d floor; light housekeeping if desired; electric light, phone.
MAPLE, 5943—Single front room for gentleman; home of widow. Cabany 3802W. (5)
MAPLE, 5915A—2 rooms, newly furnished; all conveniences; private family. (7)
MARCUS, 1417—Nice, single room, $1.50 up; hot water, phone, Page and Wellston cars.
MARYLAND, 4256—Very attractive front room; steam-heated; adjoining bath; half block from Maryland-Olive cars; Bell phone. Apartment A. (7)
MARYLAND, 4160—Elegantly furnished housekeeping or sleeping rooms, 3d floor; reasonable; hot water heat, gas, electricity, continuous hot water; immaculate home of refined couple. Lindell 5818.
MINERVA, 5087—Large, bright beautifully furnished rooms, twin beds, electricity, free phone; garage.
MORGAN, 4059—Light, pleasant, second-floor room, $2.25 week; housekeeping.
MORGAN, 4153—Desirable single room; good cooking; home surroundings; everything modern; free phone; reasonable.
MORGAN, 4028—Two light housekeeping rooms; south exposure; electricity, hot water; $4; free phone.
MORGAN, 4120A—Lovely, light room, $2 per week; private family; conveniences; gentleman. Lindell 2946R.
MORGAN, 3937—Newly furnished 2d-floor front housekeeping rooms, gas range; all conveniences; reasonable.
MORGAN, 4264—Kitchen and sleeping room; also living room; $2.50. Lindell 1508.
MORGAN, 3741—Beautifully furnished light housekeeping rooms, first or second floor; very reasonable. Lindell 4196. (3)
MORGAN, 4209—Steam-heated housekeeping room, electricity, all conveniences, $3.50.
MORGAN, 4547—One or more furnished rooms, with or without housekeeping or garage; electric light and heat.
MORGAN, 4030—Nicely furnished 2d-floor front room; light, clean; all conveniences. Lindell 1788.
MORGAN, 4542—Bright, warm rooms for two; all conveniences; private family; Bell phone; reasonable.
MORGAN, 4627—Private family; large room with alcove; housekeeping; modern conveniences; also single room.
MORGAN, 4833—Tastefully furnished rooms; all modern conveniences; private family; reasonable. Lindell 2697R.
MORGAN, 4462—Clean, well-furnished front room, for gentleman or couple; convenient to good board; all conveniences.
MORGAN, 4550—Furnished room, newly furnished housekeeping; all conveniences, hot water, $2 up.
MORGAN, 4106—Nice large room for light housekeeping; linen, gas, electric lights; furniture all new; conveniences.
MORGAN, 4316—Rooms, large, clean, connecting front; gas range, hot bath, laundry, phone.
MORGAN, 4064—Housekeeping rooms; gas range; electric lights; free phone, laundry; $2.50; connecting, $3.75. (2)
MORGAN, 4470—Pleasant front room, all conveniences, private family; near three car lines.
MORGAN, 4028—Two light housekeeping rooms, southern exposure; electric, hot water, $4; free phone.
MORGAN, 4438—Large southern exposed front housekeeping rooms, first and second floors, all modern conveniences; continuous hot water; phone; Delmar (Olive), Hodiamont and Taylor cars; moving expenses paid. (8)
NEWSTEAD, 3211 N. (Apartment 2, corner Olive and Newstead)—Large, light and nicely furnished room, in steam-heated apartment; continuous hot water, electric lights; Olive car. Forest 6403W.
OLIVE, 401—Front and back rooms; housekeeping if desired; all conveniences.
OLIVE, 4015—So. ex. front room; heat, electricity; phone, private family.
OLIVE, 4047B—Large front room, steam heat, electricity; $2 week.
OLIVE, 3656—Neatly furnished room; sleeping; all conveniences; $2.
OLIVE, 4057A—Two furnished rooms, reasonable rent.
OLIVE, 4292—Connecting housekeeping and furnished rooms, electricity, hot water; free phone; heat; reasonable. (1)
OLIVE, 4604—Furnished room and kitchenette, electricity, gas, furnace heat. Forest 5888R.
OLIVE, 4215A—Nicely furnished south front room; all conveniences; another pleasant room; reasonable.
OLIVE, 4219—Large, nicely furnished room, suitable for two; steam heat, continuous hot water, unlimited phone; 3d floor east apartment.
OLIVE, 4105A—Nicely furnished sleeping room, suitable lady or gentlemen employed; no other roomers; bath and phone; $2 per week, Lindell 448.
OLIVE, 3907C—Three furnished housekeeping rooms, parlor floor; two bedrooms and kitchen, $17 a month; modern. Phone Lindell 4895. (3)
PAGE BL., 4266—Nicely furnished 3 rooms; conveniences, heat, hot water, gas range.
PAGE BL., 3644—Connecting housekeeping rooms, very reasonable; private family.
PAGE BL., 4435—Furnished housekeeping rooms, electricity, furnace, hot water, phone; reception hall, laundry; reasonable.
PAGE BL., 5251—Two choice rooms, second floor, front, completely furnished for housekeeping.
PAGE BL., 4573—Two furnished, southern exposed housekeeping rooms, hot bath, gas, phone; private; $3.50.
PAGE BL., 5054A—Front room, ladies or gentlemen; kitchen privilege. Forest 4352R.
PAGE BL., 3905—Large front room; 1 or 2 gentlemen; private family; modern conveniences.
PAGE BL., 4427—Nice furnished southern exposed front hall room; furnace heat; electricity; $1.50.
PAGE BL., 4057—Furnished rooms; light housekeeping; electric light; phone and heat.
PAGE BL., 4407—Nice large front room, furnished for light housekeeping; hot water; free phone; also front room for one or couple; Page-Wellston-Taylor cars.
PAGE BL., 5148—Nicely furnished southern-exposed rooms, for two gentlemen; separate beds, steam heat, every convenience; Forest 6806.
PAGE BL., 4429—Two front southern exposed connecting housekeeping rooms; nicely furnished; electricity; hot water; bath, gas range, furnace, laundry, complete, $5.50.
PAGE BL., 5254—Two large south rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping; large closets, electricity, gas, sink, range, pantry, bath, laundry, phone; very convenient location; call Sunday or evenings. (9)
PLYMOUTH, 6142—2 furnished, light housekeeping rooms; steam heat, electricity, bath, gas; Cabany 547. (7)
RIDGE, 4071—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping.
ROOM—Single; comfortable; every convenience; private family. Forest 5891W.
ROOM—Beautiful front room, in steam-heated apartment. Box K-35, Post-Dispatch.
ROOM—For two refined gentlemen; strictly private; 5200 west. Forest 1599.
ROOM—Large, furnished, steam-heated room, 4900 west, on Olive car line; use of kitchen. Delmar 1962R.
ROOMS—Westminster and Taylor; desirable; 2 front rooms; also hall rooms; reasonable. Forest 3062R.
ROOM—Couple will share 5 or 6 room apartment; furnished or unfurnished. Box H-52, Post-Dispatch.
ROOM—Pleasant; for gentleman; small, private family; 4300 west; Maryland car. Lindell 2985.
ROOM—Warm, cheerful; piano; all conveniences; in the home of two adults. Phone Forest 4245W.
ROOMS—Furnished or unfurnished; block from King's highway, on Page; conveniences. Forest 7471.
ROOM—Nicely furnished room, hot-water heat, electric light; private family; garage; reasonable. Forest 783W.
ROOMS—Furnished 3-room suite, $3 per week, also other rooms. Apply 631 N. Vandeventer av.
ROOM—Furnished; very fine for young couple; everything furnished. Apply 631 N. Vandeventer av.
ROOM—Nicely furnished, heat, electric light, hot water, modern home, West End, near Hamilton, half block from Hodiament cars; $2.25 week. Box F-50, Post-Dispatch.
ROOM—Lady having modern, steam-heated apartment, West End, will rent bright, cheerful front room; private home; very desirable; Monroe 1908W.
ROOM—Elegant front room; modern apartment; no other roomers; West End; ladies employed or couple; references. Cabany 4362W.
SARAH, 217 N.—Rooms for gentleman or employed party; free phone, electricity; $1.50 weekly.
SARAH, 508 N.—Southern exposed front rooms, steam heat, electric light; use of kitchen.
SUBURBAN, 6041A—Furnished room; 2 employed; no other roomers; near Wagner; Hodiamont and Page cars.
TAYLOR, 3114—Near Hodiamont line; steam heat, electricity, Bell phone; no other roomers; $2.50.
TAYLOR, 1221 N.—Furnished front room, with kitchenette; light housekeeping; gas, furnace heat, hot bath; rent reasonable; newly papered.
VANDEVENTER, 1431A N.—Nicely furnished room; steam heat, electricity, bath; $2.50; kitchen privileges if desired.
VANDEVENTER, 1115A N.—Neatly furnished hall room; gas, bath; handy to cars; only $1.25.
VERNON, 4146—Large front room, gentleman; modern conveniences; private family; with or without board. Forest 3141W.
VON VERSEN, 5569—Two cheerful rooms for men; southern exposure; modern conve.

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VON VERSEN, 5024-2 connecting rooms for light housekeeping; gas range, electric lights; modern.
VON VERSEN, 5042—Furnished south room for light housekeeping; kitchen privilege; references exchanged. Forest 1297.
WALTON, 1418—2 rooms, furnished or unfurnished.
WALTON, 614 (between Washington and Delmar)—Front and connecting housekeeping rooms; heat, electricity, gas.
WASHINGTON BL., 3913—Furnished room.
WASHINGTON BL., 3567—Single rooms, light housekeeping and with private bath.
WASHINGTON BL., 4810A—Furnished rooms for gentlemen.
WASHINGTON BL., 4219—Large, comfortable room for two; $3.50; for one, $3.
WASHINGTON BL., 4525—Nicely furnished front room, for couple or gentlemen; modern conveniences.
WASHINGTON BL., 3937—Second-floor unfurnished room, bright, convenient to bath, $1.25 weekly; free phone. (9)
WASHINGTON BL., 3886—Nicely furnished, clean rooms, with kitchen; every convenience.
WASHINGTON BL., 3706—1 double southern exposed room, steam heat, electric lights, free phone; reasonable. (1)
WASHINGTON BL., 3875—Desirable newly decorated front, hot water, electricity, free Bell phone; other rooms. (1)
WASHINGTON BL., 3895—Housekeeping

ROOMS WITH BOARD—WEST

WESTMINSTER PL., 4036—Comfortable, hot-water heat; good table board; couple employed; 2 ladies or 2 gentlemen; all conveniences.

WESTMINSTER PL., 3832—South room for couple employed or two gentlemen; good table; all conveniences; rates; reasonable. Lindell 1765R.

WEST PINE BL., 4136—Room and board; private home; all conveniences. Phone Lindell 3042.

WEST PINE BL., 4132—Nicely furnished front rooms, with first-class board; hot-water heat and all modern conveniences; $5 and up. (6)

WHITTIER, 519—Nicely furnished 2d-story front room; two persons; excellent board; pleasant home.

WINDSOR PL., 3826—Large room, modern conveniences, home comforts; use of parlor; housekeeping privileges; strictly private family; ladies or couple.

WOULD you like board in widow's cheerful apartment, double room for two, 3 meals near Sarah; near King's highway? Delmar car. Forest 5843.

ATTRACTIVE furnished home, every room light, piano, electric cleaner, fireless cooker, hot water, janitor service, exchange room and board, excellent German maid if desired, Cabanne district; Forest 3480W.

NORTH

FOURTEENTH, 1630A N.—Furnished room; private family; with meals if desired; conveniences.

HARRIS, 2249A—Nicely furnished room and board; private family; near O'Fallon Park. Delmar 2860L.

MAFFITT, 3937—Room and board, good table, hot-water heat, electric light. Bell phone.

NINETEENTH, 4329A N.—Newly furnished front room; bath, electric light; private family; meals optional; reasonable.

PRAIRIE, 4332—All conveniences; steam heat; board optional.

RED BUD, 2254A—Furnished room for gentleman, in private family; board optional. Colfax 1113R.

ST. LOUIS, 2631—Front room and hall room, with or without board.

ST. LOUIS, 4067—Room with board; nicely furnished; all conveniences; for gents or couple employed. (7)

THEODOSIA, 5042A—Furnished rooms, with or without board, for light housekeeping.

THEODOSIA, 5910—Southern exposure, electricity, phone; 2 gentlemen or couple; housekeeping privileges.

TWENTIETH, 4102 N.—Boarders wanted; railroad men preferred. Call Sunday or Monday evening.

UNIVERSITY, 2217—Furnished front room; southern exposure; light housekeeping or gentlemen's sleeping room.

SUBURBAN BOARD

ROOM AND BOARD—Will rent large, bright, beautifully furnished room, in University City; breakfast if desired. Cabany 2703R.

SUBURBAN BOARD WANTED

ROOMS Wtd.—2 unfurnished for light housekeeping, near Maplewood loop by lady with 2 daughters, youngest 12. Address 7332 Anna.

ROOM AND BOARD—In Webster; large house; sleeping porch; with all modern conveniences; one block from Meramec car; 5 or 10 minutes' walk from Mo. Pacific R. R. Phone 1568W.

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED

BOARD Wtd.—Board child while mother works; private family. Phone, Box E-194, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—In Tyler place, by a lady not employed. Box R-152, P.-D.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Sisters employed, private family, South Side; must be reasonable; give particulars. Box N-68, P.-D.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By couple; private family; state terms. Box R-240, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By a single man, in a small Jewish family; references furnished. Box N-142, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM Wtd.—By two gentlemen, with or without board; west of Sarah, between Washington and Laclede. Box B-123, P.-D.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—For working boy, aged 15; must be reasonable. Box R-93, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By young lady employed; in private family; Central 6M thru 9 roomers. Box H-14, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By young lady employed, well furnished; references exchange; private family preferred; West End. Box B-117, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—Two housekeeping rooms or board, near Emerson School, for lady and three children; must be reasonable. Forest 7213R.

BOARD AND ROOM Wtd.—Young professional man and wife; private family, near University car, 5000 to 6000. Box S-111, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By lady; two meals a day; private; reasonable; Christian Science home preferred. Box R-141, P.-D., or phone Lindell 5566R.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Nicely furnished, by young couple, with references; state full particulars as to price, etc. Box R-223, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS AND BOARD Wtd.—Sister and brother would like two rooms, with board; can furnish best of references; state price. Box R-275, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—For S, all employed; 3 double rooms and 2 single; must be first-class; state particulars. Box B-97, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By middle-aged lady, in private family, not over $5 week. Box A-4, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By gentleman in strictly private family; apartment preferred; west of King's highway, on Olive car line; state full particulars. Box B-5, P.-D.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Within walking distance of Tyler street; with private family; state conveniences and rate. Box N-184, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Motherless high school girl, aged 15, wants a home as companion and can pay small amount for board; refined, congenial and quiet; Catholics preferred. Box E-184, P.-D. (c)

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Lady employed; single warm room with board; laundry and lunch included; conveniences; home privileges; reasonable; state price. Box A-208, Post-Dispatch. (c)

ROOMS Wtd.—Two, small, furnished, with breakfast; Cleveland car; private West End home preferred; by gentleman with wife and two-year girl; willing to pay good price for right accommodations. Box F-271, Post-Dispatch.

HOTELS

21 TOVAR, 4209, Delmar; outside rooms, steam heat, shower bath, electricity, excellent meals; $10 per week for two.

ARTHUR HOTEL—280 Skinker rd; very attractive room, with baths and phones; excellent table.

HAVE a few nice rooms, $3 week; board if desired. King's Inn Hotel, 5017 Delmar. (c99)

ALCAZAR HOTEL, 3121 Locust—100 clean, modern, steam-heated rooms, 75c a day, $3 a week up. (c8)

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NORMANDIE HOTEL—3438 Franklin av., American plan, $5.50 up; European plan, $2 up; home cooking; all modern conveniences. Mrs. Lawson, Lindell 1545. (36)

ALBANY Hotel, 4873 Page bl.; family hotel; nicely furnished; hot and cold water, excellent meals; all modern conveniences; rates very reasonable. Phone Forest 3931, Delmar 901R.

NEW LINDELL HOTEL, SIXTH ST. AND LUCAS AV.—Elegant rooms, with running water, telephones, steam heat, free baths; special rates, $3 single, $5 double; hotel accommodation; most convenient downtown hotel. Central 1245, Olive 706. (c62)

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HOTEL BENTON—$2.50 WEEK.

819 Pine st., 1 block from postoffice; now making special low weekly rate, $2.50; think, location, with first-class hotel accommodations, only $2.50 a week; newly renovated. Call and see. (c50)

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Parkview Hotel is now under new management. With up-to-date service and family comforts; private exchange connecting all rooms; weekly rates, room $3 without bath, $4 with bath; our restaurant is offering the best the market affords at the most popular prices. Call and see us, or write for our booklet. Away from the smoke and dirt of the city. PARKVIEW HOTEL, 6000 Washington av.

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High-class family hotel; every room with bath and telephone; garage. Call Forest 4300, Bell 3rd Page. (c90)

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110 N. Spring, a handsome family hotel, perfect service and cuisine of the best; beautifully furnished; bath and telephone in every room; convenient location to downtown theaters and parks. (c99)

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American or European plan; all outside rooms, with phone, running hot and cold water, private or connecting baths; home comforts and service; catering to permanent and transient guests at lowest reasonable rates. (c99)

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ROOMMATES WANTED

ROOMMATE Wtd.—Gentleman, steam heat, hot water, bath; gas, $1.25; references, 4137 Olive.

ROOMS WANTED

ROOMS—Couple desire 2 or 3 unfurnished rooms, west preferred. Box H-95, P.-D.

ROOM—By experienced dressmaker; engagements out; will exchange sewing for rent; west. Box H-236, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—Two, connecting; by three adults; steam heat, continuous hot water. Box R-144, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM Wtd.—For light housekeeping, in vicinity of Maple and Goodfellow. Delmar 2007R.

ROOM Wtd.—Gentleman wants comfortable small room, near 5200 Delmar. Box E-61, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM Wtd.—Young man desires room in private, refined West End family. Box H-17, Post-Dispatch. (c)

ROOMS Wtd.—Room and kitchen, by elderly lady; west of Grand av.; not over $5. Mrs. K. Zeller, 2930 Franklin.

ROOMS Wtd.—2, nice, light, unfurnished, on first or second floor; refined private family, by young couple. Box H-97, P.-D.

ROOM Wtd.—Unfurnished, by lady and child, not more than $1 per week. Box H-214, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—2 or 3 large unfurnished rooms in neighborhood of Taylor and Olive. Write Lorelei Hair Store, 4525 Olive. (c)

ROOM Wtd.—Without board, by young lady employed; near cathedral; privilege of laundry; reasonable. Box B-115, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM Wtd.—One cheap unfurnished room, near Walton and Bell; phone Delmar 2226X.

ROOM Wtd.—Young man desires southern-exposed room in small private family, West End; give price, etc. Box R-135, P.-D.

ROOMS Wtd.—Three bedrooms, with private family, by three desirable adults employed; West End. Box B-85, P.-D.

ROOMS Wtd.—9 or 4 unfurnished, in private home, by young married couple; no children. Box N-74, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—2, large, unfurnished, first floor, permanent, for elderly couple; 30 minutes car ride. South Side preferred. Box H-23, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM Wtd.—Either in private home or family hotel, with private bath and conveniences; either furnished or unfurnished; for gentlemen. Box H-31, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM Wtd.—One large room and kitchenette, or two small rooms, for housekeeping, unfurnished, central location; answer, stating price and convenience. Box E-68, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—By refined young couple, two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, in strictly private home; Catholic preferred; reference exchanged; must be close in; state price and particulars. Box R-188, Post-Dispatch.

RESORTS

COTTAGES and camp locations for rent or lease at Meramec Highlands.
A. A. WOLFF, 310 Wainwright Bldg.

CLUBHOUSE Wtd.—With 4 or more rooms; on the Meramec River. Box N-80, Post-Dispatch. (7)

CLUBHOUSE—For rent; resort, dancing hall and garden; $225 per year, furnished with buffet, icebox, table and chairs; large, screened garden house, 2 blocks from Frisco dept. 4 blocks from river; come or write soon. U. Wichmann, Valley Park, Mo. (c83)

CLUBHOUSE—For rent; 8 large rooms, fine shade trees; river gravel bottom; fine for bathing or swimming; on Meramec River, 23 miles from St. Louis; 300 yards from car stop; fine proposition for large club. Box 7, Glencoe, Mo.

CLUBHOUSE Wtd.—And grounds, on Meramec River, above overflow; will rent or lease; describe building, if any, or if will construct one; state conditions, etc.; give location and distance from railroad; we can furnish A1 reference. Box R-10, Post-Dis.

SUMMER cottages, completely furnished; good fishing, good boating, good bathing. For particulars write Arms & Cole, Traverse City, Mich. (c97)

SUMMER COTTAGE—New, desirable; furnished; located 150 feet from shore of Lake Michigan; 3 bedrooms, bathroom, large living room, kitchen and screened porch; season, May 15 to Sept. 15. Box A-128, P.-D. (99)

SUMMER RESORT—On Meramec River, Baldpate Inn, Eureka, Mo.; restricted grounds, 3 and 4 room bungalows; screened-in porches, now ready for leasing to clubs. R. W. Bowen, Eureka, Mo.

J. HILL, 812 Chestnut st.
Olive 508, Central 4529.

HOUSES, FLATS, Etc.

Solid agate, 10c line, minimum 20c.

SOUTH—South of Chouteau avenue-Forest Park; NORTH—North of Cass-Easton avenues; CENTRAL—Levee to Grand, Chouteau to Cass-Easton; WEST—Grand to city limits, Chouteau avenue-Forest Park to Cass-Easton.

FURNISHED FLATS—APARTM'TS

MISCELLANEOUS

FURNISHED APARTMENT—Lady whose husband travels would share her furnished apartment with couple or business woman, reasonable. Box E-233, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED APARTMENT — Handsome, well furnished, 6 rooms; shades, screens, porch; exclusive neighborhood; will rent to responsible adults only. Phone Cabany 4633.

FURNISHED APARTMENT—Five rooms, clean and attractively furnished; bed and table linen, silver and china. West End; to responsible party with references. Forest 786. (7)

FURNISHED APARTMENT—5 rooms and sun parlor, for lease; new furniture, grand piano and Oriental rugs; party leaving city will sublease for 3 months; reasonable if taken immediately. Forest 1633. (c)

FURNISHED FLAT—Comfortable, furnished 4-room flat; modern conveniences. Call Tyler 619.

CENTRAL

PINE, 2938A—Nicely furnished 4-room flat; 3 beds; rent very reasonable. Apply 1039 Market.

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale; 4 rooms; bargain; no dealers; good order. 3321 Franklin.

SOUTH

OHIO, 1108A—Three-room furnished flat, $3.50 per week.

CLEVELAND, 4275—Delightfully furnished three rooms, bath and kitchen, piano, victrola; every convenience; five minutes walk from Tower Grove Park; call Sunday or phone Grand 2561W, Peters.

JUNIATA, 3411—Newly decorated; three-room flat, bath, $15; month free; open from 3 p. m.

LAFAYETTE, 4038—Three-room flat; strictly modern; completely furnished; to couple without children; references; call today.

WEST

CABANNE, 5210—5 rooms, nicely furnished; player-piano; warmly heated by economical furnace; 1 very large bedroom, 1 smaller; big linen and medicine closets; unusually large, light kitchen; excellent residence location; floors Hodiamont car; Monroe 5134W, or Olive 1925.

CATES, 5191A—Beautiful, complete 6-room flat, furnished; spacious, bright and clean; reasonable to permanent party; heat and janitor. (c)

CLEMENS, 37xx—Completely furnished apartment, 4 or 5 rooms and sleepin porch. Cabany 5612.

DELMAR BL., 5577—4-room, newly furnished and unfurnished; fireproof; steam-heated apartments; $25; $40; choice location; phone Long, Forest 7758.

EVANS, 4329—Elegantly furnished 4-room flat and bath. Phone Lindell 4478W.

FLAT—Furnished six-room flat, 5000 west; garage optional; modern. Delmar 3002X.

FURNISHED APARTMENT—Attractively furnished nice sunny rooms and sun porch, Hodiamont, Olive cars. Forest 5297W. (6)

FURNISHED APARTMENT—Party having furnishings and large house, will furnish 3, 4 and 5 room apartment or house for responsible party. For information call Forest 5015 or call 732 Auber.

KENSINGTON, 5082—Six rooms, completely furnished, tile bath, linen; rent $32.50; call afternoons. (c)

McPHERSON, 4045A—3 large rooms, nicely furnished, phone, steam heat, hot water year round; janitor. (7)

OLIVE, 3707—Ideal apartment for housekeeping, two large front rooms, with bath, hot water; gas and electric included. Lindell 3201R.

VERNON, 5053—5 large rooms, bath, beautifully furnished; completely decorated throughout; janitor; strictly clean. (c83d)

VERNON, 5035A—Six large rooms, bath, beautifully furnished; complete; newly decorated; strictly clean; reasonable. (c85)

VON VERSEN, 5117—Furnished apartment for nurses only. Forest 8856R.

VON VERSEN, 5083—3 or 4 rooms, new furniture, complete; tile bath, electricity, heat, hot water, linens, janitor service; private bath.

WASHINGTON, 5016—Furnished or unfurnished, 3 rooms, hardwood floors, steam heat, combination hot water, janitor service; finest location in city. Call Lindell 3305. (c)

WATERMAN, 6128—Housekeeping rooms, beautifully furnished; all new; heat, gas, lights, hot water, janitor; refined couples; references. Inquire on first floor.

WELLS, 3390—Four rooms and bath, heat, hot water; all conveniences.

FURNISHED FLATS—APARTM'TS

NORTH

ABNER PL., 2937—Flat, 3 rooms, new; bath, furnace, large living room, bookcases, $19.

KENNERLY, 3902—Four rooms, nicely furnished, bath, gas range, phone; nice neighborhood; $5.50 weekly. (c)

FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT

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FOR LEASE—Furnished dwelling, 13 rooms, in the 4400 block West Pine bl., for price, further particulars and card of admission, call WM. R. FARIBAULT REALTY CO., Room 103, 806-808 Chestnut st., St. Louis.

FURNISHED HOUSE—Goodfellow av.; well-furnished modern house; private family; owner might reserve room. Cabany 3095. (c2)

LENOX PL., 5—12 rooms, hot-water heat, etc.; for lease furnished. See us for further particulars.
ALBERT T. TERRY & CO., 823 Chestnut.

MARYVILLE, 2926 (Cabanne)—Four rooms, furnished, bath first floor, privilege two rooms second floor; residence; Hodiamont car; garage.

NINE-ROOM HOUSE.
HEIL FURNISHED.
1220 Goodfellow av.; bath, gas, janitor service; heat furnished; $45.
ANDERSON-STOCKE-BUERMANN,
808 Chestnut st.

FLATS WANTED

APARTMENT Wtd.—Or modern 5-room flat and sleeping porch, in Shaw district; must be light. Box E-228, Post-Dispatch. (c)

APARTMENT Wtd.—Four rooms and porch, steam heat, hot water, electric lights, west of Grand; price not over $35. Box B-91, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—To buy, 3 and 4 or 5 room flat. Box E-256, Post-Dispatch. (1)

FLAT Wtd.—Five and 6 rooms, in the West End, for cash. Box E-259, Post-Dis. (c)

FLAT Wtd.—Three rooms, bath and hall room, in north or west. Box B-122, P.-D.

FLAT Wtd.—Modern 3 or 4 room. Box B-215, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—Four-room flat, downstairs, west of Union, south of Easton, about $22. Box E-226, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—To rent 5-room flat, or cottage; on South Side; electricity; state price. Box B-57, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—Four or 5 rooms, or apartment, not to exceed $30; West End preferred. Box R-206, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—4 rooms, downstairs; two adults; west of Union; must be reasonable. Box B-61, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FLAT Wtd.—Modern, lower, 4 rooms, bath, electric lights, furnace, garage; not to exceed $22; no children. Box R-134, P.-D.

FLAT Wtd.—In apartment; 2d floor, five rooms; $25; near Catholic church; Hodiamont or Olive car; adults. Box R-92, P.-D.

FLAT Wtd.—Upper 5 or 6 rooms, near Grand, between Lafayette and Magnolia; either hot-water or steam heat; would lease desirable place. Box R-122, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—Four or five rooms, by couple; Shaw division; reasonable rent; can give best references. Box H-212, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—By couple, before April 3, a modern 4 or 5 room upper flat; new one preferred; give full description and price. Box R-88, Post-Dispatch.

FLATS Wtd.—Modern 4 and 5 room upper and lower; convenient to Fourth, Grand or Tower Grove cars. L. Caplin, 3448 Crittenden. (c)

FLAT Wtd.—Modern lower flat, five rooms and bath; near public school, South Side; prefer living with owner. Box R-52, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—Four or 5 rooms, near school, on made street, with garage; modern; give full description, etc.; must be reasonable. Box P-215, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—For April 1st, 5 rooms, or 4 to 5 room apartment; must be in good neighborhood and near public school; first floor preferred; state location, price, etc. Box P-234, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FURNISHED FLATS WANTED

FURNISHED APARTMENT Wtd.—For physician and sister; 5 or 6 rooms. Box N-188, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED APARTMENT Wtd.—3 rooms, South Side preferred; occupy March 11. Box R-250, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FURNISHED APARTMENT Wtd.—By refined young married couple; 4 or 5 rooms; must be high-class and located in good neighborhood; state price and all details. Box N-92, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED FLAT Wtd.—In a good western location, a strictly modern furnished flat of 5 rooms, with kitchenette and bath. Box B-115, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—Three, furnished; good location; not over $28. Box N-268, P.-D. (c)

HOUSES WANTED

COTTAGE Wtd.—Modern 5-room; furnace, bath. Box N-277, Post-Dispatch.

COTTAGE Wtd.—To rent 4 or 5 rooms, with large stable and yard; cottage preferred. Box C-184, Post-Dispatch.

COTTAGE Wtd.—4 rooms; must be modern; family of adults; references. Box H-219, Post-Dispatch. (c)

COTTAGE Wtd.—3 or 4 rooms; or flat; with small stable or shed for one horse and wagon; between Park and Shenandoah. 2221A Missouri.

ROOMS Wtd.—Five; modern; responsible; no children; vicinity Fairground or O'Fallon Park; state rent. Box H-4, Post-Dispatch.

COTTAGE Wtd.—Two, adjoining or close to each other, 3 and 4 or 4 and 5 rooms; rent must be cheap. 3227 Iowa.

COTTAGE Wtd.—A four-room cottage, in southwest part of city; rent must be cheap. Box R-246, Post-Dispatch.

COTTAGE Wtd.—Bungalow or dwelling, five or six rooms, furnace heat, electric fixtures, bath, modern, south Side preferred; stated lowest rent wanted; possession after March 20. Box R-77, Post-Dispatch.

DWELLING Wtd.—To rent, unfurnished, or rooms, near 14th and Olive, 5 N. 15th st.

DWELLING Wtd.—To rent, 5 or 6 rooms; all conveniences; good tenants; 3 adults; no children; city or suburbs. Box R-250, P.-D.

DWELLING Wtd.—West of Grand av.; suitable for rooming house, by a builder; we can keep same in repair; reasonable rent. Box H-11, Post-Dispatch. (c)

HOUSE Wtd.—To rent, 6 or 7 room house or bungalow in West End. Box N-94 P.-D.

HOUSE Wtd.—Or flat, with barn. Box H-216, Post-Dispatch. (6)

HOUSE Wtd.—6 or 7 rooms, modern, steam or hot water heat; dwelling, flat or apartment. Owner only.

HOUSE Wtd.—To rent, 7 or 8 rooms, West End or South Side; reasonable. Grand 3708J.

HOUSE Wtd.—Or bungalow, northwestern part of city; convenient to cars; 6 rooms, with modern conveniences; wanted about March 15. Box R-269, Post-Dispatch.

LEASE your house; we want responsible detached West End home, 8 or 9 rooms, with porch and garage, for two years, from April 1; references, responsible. Telephone today. Cabany 2585.

RESIDENCE—One of our customers wants to rent a residence of about 10 rooms with two baths and sleeping porch, situated west of Union av. and south of Page.
MISSISSIPPI VALLEY TRUST CO.,
FOURTH and PINE. (c)

SUBURBAN PROPERTY WANTED

COTTAGE Wtd.—8 or 4 rooms, on Market line, in suburbs; give full particulars. Box H-255, Post-Dispatch.

COTTAGE Wtd.—By private family, on Meramec, between Valley Park and Diecke, cottage of three or more rooms, screened porch, good drinking water and beach. Box E-140, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE Wtd.—To lease, at once, in county, 7-room house, acreage; near transportation; give full particulars. Box 7, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE Wtd.—In Kirkwood, six rooms, and improvements; state price and terms; principals only; no agents. Box B-101, P.-D.

HOUSE Wtd.—To buy, in suburbs, 3 or 4 rooms; reasonable price. Box R-214, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE Wtd.—To rent; 6 or 7 rooms; furnished; in Webster or Kirkwood; price must be reasonable. Box R-111, P.-D.

LOT Wtd.—50 or 75 feet, vacant or improved, county; must be cheap. Box H-225, Post-Dispatch.

SUBURBAN PROP'TY FOR RENT

BUNGALOW—8 rooms, also 5-room cottage and a 7-room house. Heinselmann, Kirkwood, Mo. (c99)

BUNGALOW—Six-room, bath, gas, electricity, furnace; near corner St. Charles car to Hanley rd. Elchor, owner Kinloch Clayton 1881.

COTTAGE—For rent, in Clayton; 7 rooms, all modern; hot-water heated home. R. Wehmeyer, Clayton, Mo.

COTTAGE—For rent or sale, six-room cottage, acre ground; Woodlawn Station, Kirkwood, Forest 7620.

COTTAGE—Four-room brick, ¼ acre ground, one block south of city limits; $10 month. S. W. Forder, Jefferson Barracks, R. 3.

COTTAGE—Six-room cottage, 10 acres ground, fruit trees, on car line; good for chicken raising. Mrs. L. Elgasser, Link av., Creve Coeur line.

COTTAGE—For rent; with 1 acre of land; take Ferguson car north from Wellston (Easton av.) to Cargonville Station, walk north on Carson rd. 3 blocks to Geiger av.; then east 1 block to property of McDonald; rent $10 per month.
J. B. ROSENBACH, Maple and Hodiamont.

DEVONSHIRE, 6112 (Shrewsbury Park)—6-room house; furnace, water, gas, barn, large grounds; rent reasonable. Apply A. Bauer, 111 Wilshusen, Shrewsbury.

DWELLING—On Augusta ave., Normandy Heights, 2 blocks from Marietta Station, on Suburban car line; house of 8 rooms, city water, electric lights, porcelain bath, graniteid cellar, gas for cooking. See H. B. Smith, Wellston, or W. P. Hunt, Normandy Heights.

FARM—For rent, 12½ acres, with 7-room house, on Watson rd., near Olive road; fine for chicken farm. Call Forest 8209W, or 614 Rialto Bldg.

SUBURBAN PROP'TY FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A cozy 6-room house in Webster, close to steam and electric railroads, schools, etc.; large lot, stable, chicken house, garden; cheap to careful tenant.
A. MITTELBERG,
324 International Life Building.

FOR RENT—Kirkwood; 8-room house, modern, up-to-date; 4 acres; fruit, garden; modern chicken house, barn, etc.; a very substantial country home; convenient to steam and electric railroads.
ARTHUR MITTELBERG,
324 International Life Building.

GARNER, 6752 (near Prather av., Maplewood car)—Eight rooms, bath and furnace; garage, etc.; large yard, trees, etc.; rent only $25.
Olive 1468. GREER, 317 Fullerton Bldg.

GORE, 131—Eight-room house, modern, well located; large grounds.

GREENWOOD BL., 3620 (Maplewood)—3 nice, large rooms and bath; heat, light; $16; nice place for young couple.

HARRISON, 715 N. (Kirkwood)—New 8-room house; desirable location; $18; perfect condition.

HOUSE—Suburban; will let 5 acres, 3-room house, at Eureka. Address Mrs. Isabel Lutz, Dittmer, Mo.

HOUSE—Six rooms, 1¼ acres on rock road, Marshall and St. Louis avs.; take St. Charles car line; $20. G. W. Tolle.

NEWBERRY, 4535A—Four rooms, kitchenette; large attic, furnace, heat, electric light; $21.

OLD MANCHESTER RD., 6852—$11; 3-room cottage, bath, gas; perfect condition.

SPALDING, 5600—Seven-room house, four acres, 1¼ grape; rent $16. 5600 Spalding.

SPENCER PL., 6306—3-room brick; city water, nice yard; $8.
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For Lease—Bungalow in County

Five rooms, with furnace, etc., together with 20 acres, including orchard, located on St. Charles Rock rd., 18 minutes from city limits; ideal for truck farm, or chicken ranch.
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FURNISHED HOUSE—In Clayton, from May 1 to Oct. 1; rent reasonable to small family. Inquire 505 Linden av., Hanley 288W.

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BELT, 1946—Nice three-room cottage, lot 25 x 130; all improvements made, $10.

CASS, 2516—One-story cottage; 2 rooms, basement and cellar; only $10; open. (c*)

COOK, 4046—House, for colored; 10 rooms, bath, electric lights; new furnace; $35.

COZENS, 3621—Large, clean 3-room flat to small, respectable family.

EASTON, 4023—2 large rooms and kitchen, $10; and 4040 Lucky, 2 rooms, $7; half month's rent free. Owner, 3820 Page. Dell 3566R.

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FAIRFAX, 4136—Nice, 4-room house; toilet; will put in bath; gas, large stable; $17.
BATTINGER, 415 Fullerton Bldg, 7th & Pine. (c*)

FINNEY, 3933—Nice, light 3-room flat; nicely arranged and newly decorated; rent $12.

FOURTEENTH, 1012 N.—Two rooms, $7.
Korte-Rust R. Co., 816 Chestnut. (c*)

FOURTEENTH, 19 S.—Three rooms and kitchen; second floor; $12; key first floor. (c*)

LACLEDE, 2821—2 rooms, rear, by week or month.

LACLEDE, 3500—2 furnished rooms, steam heat, bath, nice place to live; Lindell 3098. (*)

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Korte-Rust R. Co., 816 Chestnut. (c*)

WALNUT, 2906—Four rooms, flat, gas, marble vestibule, $14; Delmar 70R, Forest 2924W. (*)

WALNUT, 2226—4 rooms; large yard; rent reduced to $12.50. Trembley-Miller R. E. Co., 105 N. 9th st. (c*)

WEST BELLE, 4155A—Furnished room; steam heat, hot bath, light, phone; $2.00; another, $1.50.

WEST BELLE PL., 4049—Five rooms, bath, toilet, combination fixtures; will repair to suit; rent $22.
GOLDWASSER & DUBINSKY REALTY CO.,
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LACLEDE, 3119, 10 rooms, toilet, bath, steam heat, 2-story brick stable..$40 00
2019 Eugenia, 6 rooms, toilet 19 00
2031 Walnut, 5 rooms, bath 17 00
2029 Walnut, 5 rooms, bath 16 50
2038 Randolph, 6-room house 16 00
2101 Walnut, 3 rooms 13 50
1525 Papin, 4 rooms, toilet bath 12 00
2825 Bernard, 4 rooms 12 00
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Will buy equity in two 3-room flats or 6-room house; good cellar, large yard; good repair. KILGEN-RULE R. E. CO.,
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2326 Pine, 10 rooms, bath..... 40 00
2328 Pine, 12 rooms, bath..... 35 00
4110 Pine, 8 rooms, bath..... 32 50
2029 Pine, 10 rooms, bath..... 32 50
4127A Finney, 4 rooms, bath..... 20 00
4027 Finney, 4 rooms, bath..... 18 00
4028 Finney, 5 rooms, bath..... 18 00
2029 Clark, 7 rooms..... 18 00
721 S. Broadway, 5 rooms..... 18 00
2038A Pine, 6 rooms, bath..... 17 50
28 S. Twenty-first, 6 rooms..... 16 00
2033 Pine, 4 rooms..... 16 00
2026 Fairfax, 4 rooms..... 14 00
2039 Clark, 3 rooms..... 12 50
3144A Adams, 3 rooms..... 12 00
2101A Clark, 4 rooms..... 12 00
2101 Clark, 3 rooms..... 12 00
2329C Franklin, 3 rooms..... 11 50
3322C Franklin, 3 rooms..... 11 50
3016 Adams, 3 rooms..... 11 00
3018A Adams..... 11 00
2103 Clark, 4 rooms..... 11 00
2103A Clark, 4 rooms..... 11 00
3528 Papin, 3 rooms..... 10 00
4004-A1A Montrose, 3 rooms each..... 10 00
717 S. Broadway, 3 rooms..... 10 00
717A S. Broadway, 4 rooms..... 9 00
1225A N. Jefferson, 3 rooms..... 9 00
1022A High, 3 rooms..... 9 00
3014 Adams (rear), 2 rooms..... 8 00
3522A Franklin (rear), 2 rooms..... 7 50
621A S. Ewing, 3 rooms each..... 7 00
619 S. Ewing, 3 rooms..... 7 00
815 S. Twenty-second, 3 rooms..... 6 00
2101B Clark, 2 rooms, bath..... 6 00
1022A High (rear), 2 rooms..... 6 00
111 S. Leonard, 2 rooms..... 5 50
2103B Clark, 2 rooms..... 5 00
2101 Clark, shed..... 4 00
111-111A S. Leonard, rooms, $2.50 to $4 each.
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JEFFERSON, 1627—4 rooms and bath; fixtures; only $15.
OREON E. & R. G. SCOTT, 800 Chestnut.

703 S. BOYLE, 1st floor, 3 rooms, bath, combination fixtures.....$15 00
4011 Lafayette, 1st floor, 3 rooms and kitchenette; open today..... 24 00
3144 Lafayette, 1st floor, 3 rooms, hot-water heat; open today..... 25 00
4013 Lafayette, 2d floor, 4 rooms, bath 28 00
2832 Locust, 2d floor, 5 rooms, bath.... 22 50
2832 S. 8, 2d floor, 5 rooms, bath.....
COTTAGE—Six-room cottage, 10 acres ground, fruit trees, on car line; good for chicken raising. Mrs. L. Elgasser, Link av., Creve Coeur line. 40 00
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FLATS FOR RENT—WEST

FLAT—For sale, 5078 Page, 5 and 6 rooms, tile bath, separate laundry; hot-water heat.

FLAT—5 large, light rooms and bath, hot-water heat, convenient to cars, $24. Delmar 3462L. (c)

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GOODFELLOW, 1273—Modern, clean lower 5-room flat; all conveniences; $25. (c)

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JOHN S. BLAKE & BRO., 812 Chestnut st. (c80)

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MONTCLAIR, 1336—First floor; a pretty 3-room flat; bath, electric light and fixtures; gas grates; laundry; fine location; no children; possession March 15; rent $16.50. Information at 1398.

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PAGE BL., 5865A—Six light rooms, bath, electric showers, furnace, etc.; $26. Cabany 4003M.

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PAGE BL., 4512—3 rooms, bath, furnace, electricity.
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PAGE BL., 5024—Elegant 6 and 7 room flat; hot-water heat, hardwood floors, stationary stands in bedrooms; elegant fixtures; large reception halls; $40. Forest 7068.

PAGE BL., 5184—Six rooms, bath, combination fixtures, hardwood floors, furnace; special inducement to responsible party; rent $25. KEANE & FRANKE, 1008 Chestnut st.

PARKVIEW PL., 4925—Very desirable 6-room flat, with all modern improvements; hot-water heat, combination fixtures, hardwood floors, gas ranges; heat furnished if desired; open.

PENDLETON, 1524—Corner 3-room flat; all conveniences; rent $12.50.

RIDGE, 5960A—3 rooms; $22; will decorate; key at flat below.

RIDGE, 5744—Four rooms, first floor, bath and furnace; new flat; only $22. (c)

RIDGE, 5872A—Flat, 3 rooms, bath, gas, hot water, hot-water heat; slate sink. (c)
C. J. HILL, 812 Chestnut st.

RIDGE, 5946A—Four rooms, bath, slate sink, combination fixtures; furnace and screens; lately decorated; $18.

RIDGE, 5958—3 rooms, bath, furnace, electricity.
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RIDGE, 5975—Four rooms, bath, furnace, shades, screens, laundry, large yard for garden.

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ROMAINE PL., 5924—5 rooms and bath, reception hall; all conveniences; decorate to suit tenant. Inquire Central 9041X. (c)

SARPY, 4210—Flat, 4 rooms, water, gas, $12.
C. J. HILL, 812 Chestnut st.

TEMPLE, 1350A—Six rooms, bath, furnace, electric lights; $21.
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TOWNSEND PL., 1418A—4 rooms, bath, furnace, electric light.
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TAYLOR, 1216 N.—Furnished flat, 4 rooms, gas range, piano, heat furnished; reasonable monthly.

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TEMPLE PL., 1434—5 rooms, bath, furnace, newly decorated; $25; keys next door. (c8)

TEMPLE PL., 1325—Modern, artistic 4-room flat; all conveniences.

TEMPLE PL., 1328—5 rooms, bath, furnace.

CHARLOTTE, 5174—Upper 5 rooms, bath; $17.
VERNON, 4018A—Five-room flat; nicely furnished; all conveniences; rent $30 per month.

VERNON, 4115—5 rooms, bath, furnace, electric light; newly papered; open; rent $24.

VERNON, 4119—Upper 5 rooms, bath; $17.

VERNON, 4125—Upper 5 rooms, bath; $17.

VERNON, 4127—Upper 5 rooms, bath; $17.

VERNON, 4129—Upper 5 rooms, bath; $17.

VERNON, 4131—Upper 5 rooms, bath; $17.

VERNON, 4133—Upper 5 rooms, bath; $17.

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GRAVOIS, 2012—Large store; cheap. JOHN M RIELLEY, 1009 Chestnut st.

HALL—Small hall for lodges or societies. Apply 3211 S. Grand av.

JEFFERSON, 1908½ S.—Large store, near car barn; all or part; will lease; reas.

MORGANFORD RD., 4430—Store.

NEOSHO, 3626—Large corner store, good location for business, $17. Victor 234R.

SALOON—Good stand for Bohemian; see Julius Niemann, National Brewery, 18th and Gratiot. (c)

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STORE—Small, in good neighborhood, suitable for any business. Call 4602 Shenandoah. (c7)

STORE—Large, and flat, suitable for any kind of business; Cherokee and Virginia.

STORE—New, large, suitable for any kind business or light manufacturing. Apply Cherokee and Jefferson. Sidney 1220, Victor 1896. (c)

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OFFICE ROOMS—Will alter to suit tenant; all outside rooms. Dr. Nifong, 721 King's highway. (c)

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PAGE BL., 4728—Good location for dry goods business; see upon.

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NORTH MARKET, 2708—Store, suitable for any small business; reduced rent. Call 2710. (c)

SARAH, 1933 N.—2d floor, 3 rooms.

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4251 Maryland, furnished, 10 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures, hardwood floors, Admission by card only.. 65 00
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2633 Washington, 12 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures..... 50 00
5146 Joanne, 11 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures..... 50 00
4153 McPherson, 10 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures; garage..... 45 00
5135 Washington, 11 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures..... 45 00
3428 Laclede, 10 rooms, bath, furnace. 35 00
2806 Eads, 8 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures..... 35 00
3016 Locust, 12 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures..... 32 50
4055 Delmar, 8 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures..... 32 50
3938 Olive, 8 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures..... 31 00
4209H Cook, 8 rooms, bath, furnace.. 30 00
2736 Olive, 12 rooms, bath..... 30 00
4576 Morgan, 6 rooms, bath, hot-water heat, fixtures..... 30 00
3410 Thomas, 7 rooms, bath..... 20 00
1125 N. Channing, 6 rooms, bath..... 18 00
4314 Gano, 3 rooms, fixtures..... 13 00

APARTMENTS.

5296 Page bl., 8 rooms, tile bath, steam heat, janitor, 2d floor..... 65 00
5567 Cabanne, 5 rooms, bath, steam heat, janitor, 1st floor..... 40 00
5294 Page bl., 5 rooms, bath, steam heat, janitor, modern, 2d floor..... 35 00
4651 Delmar, 6 rooms, bath, steam heat, janitor, 2d floor..... 32 50
4657 Delmar, 7 rooms, bath, steam heat, janitor, 1st floor..... 30 00

FLATS AND ROOMS.

5708A Von Versen, 6 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures..... 27 50
1153 N. Euclid, 6 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures, 2d floor..... 27 50
4181 Olive, 6 rooms, bath, 2d floor.. 25 00
620 N. Taylor, 8 rooms, bath, fixtures, 2d floor..... 22 50
1102 Hickory, 9 rooms, bath, fixtures, 2d floor..... 22 50
1147 Delmare av., 4 rooms, 2d floor.. 12 00
1617 S. Ninth, rooms, 1st floor..... 12 00
4057 McPee av., 3 rooms, 1st floor, fixtures..... 20 00
3904 Cleveland, 5 rooms, bath, fixtures..... 20 00
2304 Washington, 8 rooms, bath, 2d floor..... 20 00
6147 Bartmer, 5 rooms, bath, fixtures, 2d floor..... 20 00
6335 Clayton, 4 rooms, bath, 2d floor, heat furnished..... 20 00
4020 Cleveland, 4 rooms, bath, furnace, 2d floor..... 20 00
1706 Bacon, 5 rooms, bath, fixtures, 1st floor..... 19 00
1806 Nebraska, 3 rooms, bath, fixtures..... 18 00
3339 Lucas, 3 rooms, bath, 3d floor.. 18 00

FLATS AND ROOMS.

4947 Delmar bl., 5 rooms, bath, fixtures; 2d floor..... 18 00
4020 Cleveland, 4 rms., bath, fixtures, 1st floor..... 18 00
781 Bayard, 4 rooms, bath, fix., 1st fl. 18 00
2609 Washington, 4 rooms, bath, fixtures; 2d floor..... 17 00
3900 Park, 5 rooms, bath, 2d floor.... 16 50
1355 Shawnut pl., 3 rooms, bath, fixtures; 1st and 2d floors..... 16 00
1003 N. Broadway, 4 rooms, 2d floor; toilet..... 16 00
878 Hodiamont, 8 rooms, 2d and 3d floors..... 15 00
1509 S. 9th, 4 rooms bath, 1st floor.. 15 00
2005 Washington, 3 rooms, bath, fixtures; 2d floor..... 15 00
310 N. Channing, 6 rooms, bath, 2d floor..... 15 00
1006 N. 11th, 4 rooms, bath, 2d floor, front..... 15 00
2746 Franklin, 4 rooms, bath, fixtures, 2d floor..... 15 00
2529 S. Broadway, 4 rooms, toilet, 2d floor..... 14 00
507 Wash, 4 rooms, toilet, 2d floor.... 13 00
1300 Armstrong, 5 rooms, bath, fixtures, 2d floor..... 13 00
312 N. Channing, 4 rooms, bath 2d fl.. 13 00
4805 Florissant, 4 rooms, 2d floor..... 12 50
3868 Park, 3 rooms, toilet, 2d floor.... 12 00
3862 Park, 3 rooms, toilet, 1st floor.. 12 00
4947 Delmar bl., 3 rooms, toilet, 3d fl. 12 00
3434 Texas, 3 rooms, fixtures, 1st floor. 11 00
1017 Wash, 4 rooms, 2d floor..... 11 00
2110 Wash, 3 rooms, 1st floor..... 10 00
2813 Chouteau, 2 rooms, 2d floor..... 10 00

DWELLINGS (For Colored).

2656 Lucas, 8 rooms, bath..... 30 00
3509 Lawton, 10 rooms, bath..... 30 00
1631 Morgan, 10 rooms, bath..... 30 00
1620 Pine, 10 rooms, bath..... 30 00
2345 Market, 3 rooms, bath..... 25 00
765 N. 16th, 11 rooms, bath..... 25 00
921 N. Leonard, 6 rooms, bath..... 20 00

FLATS (For Colored).

4057 Fairfax, 4 rooms, 1st floor..... 14 00
2040 Morgan, 3 rooms, 1st floor..... 13 00
2617 Randolph, 3 rooms, 1st floor..... 12 00

STORES AND MISCELLANEOUS.

5296 Page (cor. Union), 8 rooms; will divide in suites of one or more rooms; splendid location for doctors.
2607 Olive, store..... 75 00
16 N. 4th st., store..... 60 00
4588 Page, 4th floor; heat furnished.. 60 00
413 N. 10th, large loft, divided; 2d floor..... 50 00
1907 Locust, automobile storage rooms and office..... 50 00
2605 Washington, store..... 40 00
2115 Market, store..... 40 00
3811 Vandeventer, corner store..... 40 00
4515 Easton, store..... 40 00
310 N. Channing, store..... 35 00
2909 Washington, store..... 30 00
878 Hodiamont, store and 2 rooms..... 30 00
4131 Olive, store, 60x25; 2 rooms..... 30 00
4133 Olive, store, 23x40..... 30 00
2746 Franklin, store..... 25 00
2817 Chouteau, store..... 25 00
1816 Olive, store..... 25 00
4043 Jefferson, store..... 22 50
4388 Olive, store..... 20 00
713 N. 9th, store..... 20 00
3501 Park, store..... 20 00
1139 N. Vandeventer, store..... 20 00
2529 S. Broadway, store..... 20 00
1909 Pine, store..... 20 00
2646 Olive, store..... 20 00
810 St. Charles, loft, 2d floor..... 15 00

Julius Haller
REALTY COMPANY
807 Chestnut St.

DWELLINGS.

4229 Olive, 10 rooms, bath.....$50 00
2710 Locust, 12 rooms, bath, furnace, electric lights..... 40 00
3138 Lafayette, 8 rooms, bath, hot-water heat..... 35 00
1002 Carr, 7 rooms..... 14 00
6948 Magnolia, 5-room frame, gas.... 13 00
5216 Blow, 4 rooms, cellar, water, gas. 12 00

COTTAGES.

4740 Newport, 4 rooms, bath, electric lights..... 18 00

APARTMENTS.

3945 Magnolia, 3 rooms, W., 6 rooms, all modern conveniences..... 50 00
3111 Portis, 4 rooms, bath, all modern conveniences..... 35 00
3111 Portis, 4 rooms, all modern conveniences..... 35 00
4411 St. Louis, 4 rooms, bath, electric lights, heat furnished..... 22 00

FLATS AND ROOMS.

3018 Shenandoah, 7 rooms, bath, electric lights, hot-water heat..... 40 00
1905 Forest, 4 rooms, tiled bath, electric lights, steam heat..... 25 00
2648 Russell, 5 rooms, bath..... 25 00
1158A Walton, 5 rooms, bath, furnace, electric lights..... 22 00
2728 Russell, 4 rooms, bath, furnace, electric lights..... 21 00
5517 Maffitt, 5 rooms, bath, electric lights..... 18 00
5696 Vernon, 5 rooms, bath..... 18 00
2825 Arsenal, 4 rooms..... 16 00
3103A St. Vincent, 4 rooms, bath..... 16 00
3501A Arkansas, 4 rooms, bath..... 15 00
4609A Green, 3 rooms, bath..... 15 50
3312 St. Vincent, 4 rooms, bath..... 15 00
3345 Hilton, 5 rooms, bath..... 14 00
3814 Kensington, 5 rooms, bath..... 14 00
2141A Clifton, 4 rooms, bath..... 13 00
3833 Patton, 3 rooms, gas..... 12 00
1092 Gratiot, 3 rooms, gas..... 10 00
1128 S. 4th, 4 rooms..... 10 00
2111 N. 22d, 3 rooms..... 9 00
4426A S. 39th, 2 rooms, rear..... 8 00
611 Hickory, 3 rooms..... 8 00
1526 Chouteau, 3 rooms..... 7 00
2409 N. 20th, 3 rooms..... 7 00
3015 N. Jefferson, 3 rooms, gas..... 7 00
3545 S. 2d, 3 rooms..... 6 50

FOR COLORED.

3119 Lucas, 10 rooms, bath, furnace.. 40 00
101 N. Channing, 4 rooms, bath..... 20 00
4349 St. Ferdinand, 3-room cottage.... 12 00

STORES, ETC.

Gravois av. and Newport court, 50x31.. 50 00
4411 St. Louis, heat furnished..... 35 00
4426 Easton av..... 30 00
2411 Morgan, store and 2 rooms..... 13 00
6833 Manchester, 16x25 feet, gas, water, electric lights..... 12 00
Arsenal..... 11 00
4823 Arsenal..... 7 00

ROETTGER-MASEK-JEHLE
REALTY CO.,
19 NORTH SEVENTH STREET.

FLATS AND ROOMS.

3308 Halliday av., 6 rooms, 2d floor, butler's pantry, dining room, fixtures, tile bath, etc., open.....$27 50
2754 Armand pl., 5 rooms, 1st floor, modern..... 22 00
4914 Devonshire, 5 rooms, 1st fl., mod. 20 00
4205 Blaine av., 3 rooms, 1st or 2d floor, bath..... 12 00
1147 Delmare av., 4 rooms, 2d floor.. 12 00
1617 S. Ninth, rooms, 1st floor..... 12 00
4057 McPee av., 3 rooms, 1st floor, fixtures..... 20 00

FOR COLORED.

3904 Cleveland, 5 rooms, bath, fixtures..... 20 00
2304 Washington, 8 rooms, bath, 2d floor..... 20 00
6147 Bartmer, 5 rooms, bath, fixtures, 2d floor..... 20 00

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FLATS.

4475 Delmar bl., 7 large rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures.....$33 50
3910 Westminster pl., 6 rooms, bath, hot-water heat, fixtures..... 37 50
3405A Pestalozzi, 9 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures..... 35 00
3632 Shenandoah, 5 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures..... 22 00
3624A Shenandoah, 5 rooms, bath, furnace..... 22 00
4570 Pagedale, 5 rooms, bath..... 21 00
4036A Cleveland, 5 large rooms, bath. 21 00
1831A S. 13th, 6 rooms, bath..... 20 00
2705 N. Whittier, 4 large rooms, bath. 20 00
3342 Bailey, 7 rooms, bath..... 20 00
3632A Shenandoah, 6 rooms, bath, furn. 24 00
2847 Magnolia, 5 rooms, bath and attic 20 00
3014 Shenandoah, 5 rooms, bath, furn. 20 00
2708 Marcus, 5 rooms, bath, furnace.. 19 00
2722 Meramec, 5 rooms, bath..... 18 00
1229 Hilton, 5 rooms, bath..... 17 00
1815A S. Jefferson, 5 rooms, bath.... 17 00
2810A Shenandoah, 3 rooms, bath, combination fixtures..... 17 00
3250A S. Jefferson, 6 rooms, bath.... 17 00
3518 Tennessee, 3 rooms and bath.... 16 00
2239A Oregon, 5 rooms, bath, fixtures. 16 00
3900 McNair, 5 rooms, bath..... 16 00
1310A Grattan, 3 rooms, bath, attic.. 15 00
623 Kansas, 3 rooms, combination fixtures, bath..... 15 00
2831A Rutger st., 4 rooms, bath..... 15 00
2400A S. Broadway, 4 rooms, bath.... 14 00
2114 Palm, 5 large rooms, toilet..... 14 00
1107 S. 11th, 4 rooms, bath..... 14 00
2018A Palm, 3 rooms, attic..... 12 00
1423 Montrose, 4 large rooms..... 11 00
907 Burgess, 4 large rooms..... 10 00
614 Soulard, 3 rooms, toilet, gas.... 10 00

ROOMS.

2516 Sullivan, 3 rooms, laundry..... 12 50
2110 Mallinckrodt, 3 rooms, attic..... 12 00
1603 S. Broadway, 4 large rooms..... 12 00
2955 Menard, 4 rooms..... 12 00
2028 Mallinckrodt, 3 rooms, attic..... 12 00
3035A N. 20th, 3 rooms, attic..... 12 00
3518 N. 21st, 3 large rooms, attic..... 12 00
3456 S. 8th, 3 large, bright rooms.... 11 50
2018A Mallinckrodt, 3 rooms, attic.... 11 50
2259 Chouteau, 4 rooms..... 11 00
2144A Mallinckrodt, 3 rooms, attic.... 10 50
915A Morgan, 4 nice rooms..... 10 25
823 S. 9th, 3 large rooms..... 10 00
1902 N. 15th, 3 rooms..... 10 00
2405A Menard, 3 rooms..... 10 00
2712A Hickory, 3 rooms..... 10 00
1102 S. 9th, 3 rooms..... 9 00
612 S. 4th, rear, 1 large room..... 5 00

FOR COLORED.

2828A Walnut, 4 rooms..... 15 00
3135 Adams, 4 rooms..... 12 00
2616 Easton, 2 rooms..... 11 00
3525 Scott, 3-room cottage..... 10 00
916 S. 12th, 3 rooms..... 9 00
819 S. 22d st., 2-room cottage..... 8 00
2911 Ewing, 3 rooms..... 8 00
2945 Atlantic, 3 rooms..... 7 50
1829 Linden, 2 rooms..... 7 50
3004A Poplar, large room..... 5 50

BEN ALTHEIMER, JR., REALTY CO.
ROOM 409 WAINWRIGHT BLDG.
Seventh and Chestnut Streets.

RESIDENCES.

5545 Cabanne, 12 rooms, furn., bath
S. e. cor. Kingshighway and Bell, large residence, steam heat, four baths, garage for three autos
5257 Waterman, 10 rooms, furnished, bath, garage, per month..... 100 00
4164 Maryland, 10 rooms, hot-water heat..... 45 00
2911 Washington, 12 rooms, furnace.. 40 00
7416 Rankin av., 9 rooms, steam heat..... 30 00

FLATS.

N. King's highway, 5 rooms, furnace, bath..... 22 50
3103A Olive, 9 rooms, bath..... 32 50
1360 Union, 7 rooms, furnace, bath.. 27 50
3103 Olive, 5 rooms, bath..... 25 00
2636A Tennessee av., 5 rooms, furnace and bath, per month..... 25 00
1264A Amherst pl., 4 rooms, furnished 21 50

FOR COLORED.

1024A Brooklyn, 4 rooms..... 8 50
3106 Lucas, 2 rooms, 3d floor..... 8 00
3028 Pine, third floor..... 8 00
701 N. 14th st., 7 rooms..... 15 00

STORES.

1932 Locust, first and second floor
6010 Kingsbury bl.
6014 Kingsbury bl.
1320 Olive, big store; low rent.....
3927 Olive, store and offices.....
S. e. cor. Olive and Walton, for drug
3122 Vandeventer, splendid store 20 00
Easton at Grand..... 20 00
S. e. cor. 11th and Brooklyn, store.. 17 50
Morgan and Grand..... 14 00

BUSINESS LOFTS—RETAIL AND MFG.

610 Pine, 2d and 3d floor rooms, steam heat.....
514 Washington, 2d floor.....
514 Washington, second floor.....
513 Walnut, 2d and 3d floors; low rent.....

OFFICES.

JEFFERSON BLDG., n. e. cor. Olive and Jefferson, heat furnished; hot water and light.....$5 00 & 10 00

STABLE.

N. e. cor. Jefferson and Lafayette, rear..... 15 00

WM. BOOTH & CO.
1084½ N. EIGHTH ST., 2D FLOOR.

DWELLINGS.

3848 W. Pine, 13 rooms.....$45 00
1108 Locust, 10 rooms..... 40 00
1307 Chouteau, 10 rooms..... 30 00
1310 Chouteau, 8 rooms..... 25 00
1314 Chouteau, 8 rooms..... 25 00
1011 N. Compton, 6 rooms, bath..... 20 00
1911 N. 10th, 6 rooms..... 15 00
806 Brooklyn, 3 rooms..... 6 00

FLATS.

3843A Kennerly, 7 rooms, bath..... 15 00
1500 N. Pendleton, 4 rooms, bath.... 15 00
820 La Beaume, 3 rooms, 2d fl..... 8 00

STORES, ETC.

2716 S. 7th, 3 rooms, 1st floor..... 9 00
2114 S. 9th, 3 rooms, rear..... 8 00
2218 Biddle, 3 rooms..... 8 00
706 Marion, 3 rooms, 2d floor..... 7 50
2513 N. Broadway, 3 rooms..... 6 50
1534 Marchant, 3 rooms, rear..... 6 00

STORES, ETC.

1300 Franklin..... 83 33
1245 Franklin..... 20 00
811 Morgan..... 40 00
200 Pine..... 30 00
716 S. Fourth..... 25 00
203 N. Second..... 6 00
807 N. Ninth..... 15 00

WANTED BUSINESS PURPOSES

DESK ROOM Wtd.—In office; give full particulars and price. Box R-166, Post-Dis.

DESK ROOM Wtd.—With desk; state price. Box E-185, Post-Dispatch.

FLOORS Wtd.—One or two, or small building on tracks; rent must be reasonable. Box R-4, Post-Dispatch. (c)

SPACE Wtd.—To rent part of store, west of Grand. Box E-92, Post-Dispatch. (c)

SPACE—To rent for stockroom, display or deskroom, on either first or second floor. 1423 Locust. (c)

SPACE Wtd.—Would like shop space with good light, near Grand and Olive. Lindell 871. (c)

STORAGE SPACE Wtd.—For construction outfit; 500 to 1000 square feet; on rail road track; covered or uncovered. Box E-159, Post-Dispatch. (c)

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615 CHESTNUT ST.

DWELLINGS.

1515 Missouri, 17 rooms, b., fur., etc.$75 00
4019 McPherson, 10 rooms, bath, furnace, etc..... 60 00
3950 Lindell, 10 rooms, bath, furnace; will put in first-class order..... 60 00
3925 Olive, 15 rooms, bath, fur., etc.. 50 00
5964 Von Versen, 10 rooms, bath, furnace 45 00
5710 Vernon, 10 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures, etc..... 45 00
4063 Delmar Blvd., 10 rooms, bath, furnace..... 40 00
1129 St. Ange, 10 rms., bath, furnace.. 30 00
1432 Norfolk, 4 rooms, etc..... 12 00
4367 Cote Brilliante, 4-room frame cot.. 10 00
6908 Hancock, 4-room cottage..... 9 00
1235 Hughes pl., 3 rooms..... 8 00

APARTMENTS.

With every modern convenience and service.
4033 Westminster (apartment F)..... 40 00
4063 Westminster (apartment A)..... 35 00
510 Walton (apartment A)..... 35 00

FLATS.

2906A Easton, 4 rooms, bath..... 15 00
3900 Sheridan, 5 rms., bath, electric..... 20 00
4371 Lucas, etc..... 25 00
5168 Cates, 6 rooms, bath, fur., etc.. 25 00
5041 Kensington, 6 rooms, bath, fur... 25 00
1230 N. Vandeventer, 7 rooms, bath; suitable for doctor or dentist 21 00
3714 Evans, 5 rooms, bath..... 20 00
4134 Minerva, 5 rooms, bath, fur..... 20 00
3855 Minerva, 4 rooms, bath, furnace. 20 00
4061 Shenandoah, 4 rooms, bath..... 18 00
3906A Park, 4 rooms, bath..... 17 50
4208A Evans, 3 rooms, bath..... 17 50
3532A N. Sarah, 4 rooms, bath, fixtures 15 00
2117A Market, 3 rooms, bath, etc.... 15 00
2948A Easton, 3 rooms, bath, etc.... 15 00
6023 Horton, 3 rooms, bath..... 14 00
3865 Evans, 3 rooms, bath..... 14 00
4349 Minerva, 4 rooms..... 13 00
2222A Hickory, 5 rooms, bath..... 15 00
2218 Hickory, 4 rooms, bath..... 15 00
2238 Cass, 4 rooms, bath..... 15 00
1222 N. Vandeventer, 4 rooms, bath.. 15 00
2427A Coleman, 4 rooms..... 13 00
4167 Blaine, 4 rooms..... 12 50
4161A Blaine, 4 rooms..... 12 50
2701 Dickson, 3 rooms, bath..... 12 00
3855A Easton, 3 rooms..... 11 00
2236A Cass, 3 rooms and bath..... 11 00
1555A Academy, 3 rooms..... 11 00
5722 Von Lucky, 3 rooms..... 10 00
1048 Lynch, 4 rooms..... 9 00
2238 Cass, 3 rooms, bath..... 9 00
1446 N. Forty-second, 3 rooms..... 8 00
4013A Cozens, 3 rooms..... 8 00
3844A Lucky, 3 rooms..... 8 00
1445B Cleary, 3 rooms..... 8 00

ROOMS.

4045 Cook, 9 rooms, bath, furnace.. 32 50
917 N. Ewing, 4 rooms..... 16 00
2610 Wash, 3 rooms, bath..... 14 00
2014A Wash, 3 rooms, bath..... 14 00
3019 Finney, 3 rooms..... 13 00
1010 N. Jefferson, 3 rooms..... 12 50
2344 Carr, 3 rooms..... 11 00
2244A Carr, 3 rooms..... 10 00
2730 Mills, 3 rooms..... 8 50

STORES.

2234 Cass, large, and rooms above..... 50 00
2826 Olive..... 35 00
4271 Easton..... 22 50
3019 Morgan, store and rooms above.
1012 N. Spring.....
3851 Easton.....
2502 Easton.....
5579 Ridge.....
5845-5853 Delmar bl., splendid location on "The Great White Way of the West End;" rent low.....
413-15 N. Eighth, separate or together, splendid retail location and growing rapidly; rare opportunity for progressive retailers; alterations made to suit tenant.....
1240 N. Vandeventer (cor. Page), elegant store; reduced rent.....

BUILDINGS.

112 S. Fourth, factory and basement..$.....
Walnut and Levee, warehouse on switch.....
1226-28 St. Charles, 8 stories and basement; slow combustion; 45,000 square feet.....

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DWELLINGS.

1411 Olive, 2d and 3d floors, 17 rooms, bath, furnishing house.....
2704 Locust, 11 rooms, bath.....$35 00

FLATS.

1014A Hodiamont, 4 rooms, bath, electric light, heat, janitor service... 22 50
2706 Locust, rooms, bath..... 20 00

FOR COLORED.

2007 Papin, 3 rooms..... 9 00

STORES, ETC.

1016 Hodiamont, fine store, heat furnished, janitor service..... 35 00
2100 S. Ninth, store, with 4 rooms and bath above..... 35 00
1435 Morgan, store..... 25 00
814 N. Fifteenth, suitable for any business..... 15 00

BUILDING.

4414 Papin, 1-story factory building, about 9000 square feet.....

107 Olive, 2d floor, 50x30..... 12 00

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S. E. COR. GRAND AND MORGAN.
OFFICES SUITABLE FOR DOCTORS AND DENTISTS.
A few remaining rooms reasonable rentals: light, heat and janitor service.

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APARTMENTS.

5593 Waterman, 6 rooms, 2d floor....$67 50

FLATS.

5143A Cates, 6 rooms, bath, furnace.... 20 00
4245 Cook av., 6 rms., b. and furnace.. 25 00
1583 Blackstone, 5 rms., bath and fix. 25 00
5020 Louisiana, 3 rooms, bath..... 15 00

STORES.

1709 S. Seventh, 3 rooms..... 6 00
1920 Morgan, 3 rooms, rear..... 5 00

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REAL ESTATE CO.
622 CHESTNUT ST.
Central 872. Main 1224.

DWELLINGS.

4166 Washington, 8 rms., fur., garage; newly decorated and painted $60 00
4275 Olive, 8 rooms, furnace..... 40 00
3328 Washington, 10 rooms..... 35 00
707 Channing, 8 rooms, furnace.... 30 00
3729 Manchester, 8 rooms..... 30 00
3226 Lucas, 8 rms., fur., elec. light.. 30 00
1826 Rutger, 8 rooms, furnace..... 30 00
3041 Morgan, 8 rms., fur., elec. light 30 00
2916 Morgan, 9 rooms..... 28 00
111 S. Sixteenth, 10 rooms..... 25 00
2820 Russell, 6 rooms, fur., elec. light 25 00
3032 Morgan, 8 rooms..... 25 00
2516-27 Geyer, 2 rooms, bath..... 22 50
1320 S. Tenth, 8 rooms, bath..... 18 00
1228 Missouri, 6 rooms, bath..... 18 00
4076 Schiller pl., 4-room cottage.... 16 00

APARTMENTS.

5825 Nina pl., 5 rms., every conv., dec. to suit; will make special inducements.....
S. w. cor. Spring and McRee, new, 4-6 room and sun parlor; $35, $40, $50 and..... 55 00
3680 McRee, 3 rooms, sun parlor; first and second floors; see janitor ... 35 00

FLATS AND ROOMS.

3838 De Tonty, 5 rm., bt., hw. fis. 35 00
5726A Etzel, 6 rooms, furnace..... 32 50
4154 McPherson, 6 rms., h. w. heat.. 32 50
5204A Grand, 6 rooms, heat janitor service; summer $25, winter..... 30 00
1527 Marcus, 5 rooms, steam heat, hdw. floors..... 30 00
1303A Pine, 5 rms., electric light..... 27 50
1418 Blackstone, 1st and 2d fl., 5-6 rooms, steam heat.....$25 00 and 27 50
1247A N. Euclid, 6 rooms, furnace.... 26 00
4049A Botanical, 6 rms., fur., elec. lt. 26 00
5208A S. Grand, 4 rms., ht., jan. ser. 25 00
4063A Botanical, 6 rms., fur., elec. lt. 25 00
2658 Eads, 6 rms., 2d floor..... 25 00
4228A Cleveland, 6 rms., fur., elec. lts. 24 00
5820A Shenandoah, 6 rms., fur., elec. lt. 23 00
4130 Arsenal will, 6 rooms, furnace, splendid condition..... 23 00
5820A Shenandoah, 6 rooms, furnace, electric lights, hot-water heat..... 22 50
4023 Botanical, 5 rooms, furnace, splendid condition..... 22 50
4033 Botanical, 5 rooms, furnace, splendid condition..... 22 50
2825 Victor, 5 rooms, bath..... 21 00
4042A Cleveland, 3 rooms, furnace.... 21 00
4042 Cleveland, 3 rooms, furnace..... 20 00
1201A Tower Grove, 4 rms., bath..... 20 00
1213A Tower Grove, 4 rms., bath..... 20 00
4176A Castleman, 5-6 rms., furnace.. 20 00
4118 Flad, 3 rooms, furnace..... 20 00
1902A Cora,

REAL ESTATE FOR EXCHANGE

LAND—For exchange. 160 acres; rich, level timbered land; no overflow; center of Arkansas rice belt; 4 miles from town on Cotton Belt Railroad; several thousand feet of merchantable timber, several thousand ties; will exchange for merchandise. W. D. Scudamore, Flora, Ill. (c99)

HOME Wtd.—To exchange my 2-family flat near Lafayette Park; has 5 and 5 rooms, baths, etc.; lot 50x130; price $6500; want a nice home with large lot on Utah place or Magnolia avenue, west of Grand, or acreage on or near Clayton car line. Box M-35, Post-Dispatch.

REAL ESTATE Wtd.—For exchange, farm, 80 acres, in Pike County, Mo.; about 40 acres in cultivation, balance good timber; 3-room house and outbuilding; 20 acres in rich valley land; good water; $4000; want vacant or improved property, or will sell on easy terms. WELLSTON REALTY CO., 6200 Easton av.

MERCHANDISE Wtd.—To exchange well-improved farms in Wayne, Edwards and Wabash counties, Ill., for merchandise of good income property; will assume on good proposition; might consider taking Mutual Brewing Co. bonds and stock as part payment. March 6 and 7. Address G. S. C., Maryland Hotel, St. Louis, Mo.

FLATS Wtd.—For exchange, farm, 260 acres, 2½ miles from Piedmont, Mo., 195 acres in cultivation, 40 acres timber, 4000 apple and peach trees in bearing, 50 plum, cherry and peach trees, 1300 grapes in bearing, mostly Catawba, good 6-room house and 4 outbuildings, etc.; want flats or what have you? Box M-87, Post-Dispatch.

VACANT Wtd.—Have eight-room brick residence, every respect modern, located in restricted Washington Heights district, that I desire to trade in on vacant property on which to build store and apartments, vacant; must be centrally located, in good neighborhood, west of Grand; will pay cash difference. Box P-225, Post-Dis. (*)

FARM—For sale, 160-acre farm, 14 mile from one of the best cities in Missouri; all rich, fertile valley land; in cultivation; fenced into fields; 35 acres in wheat, with timothy; 10-acre orchard, running water; fine nine-room modern house, with water in it; big barns, with other outbuildings; price $16,000; D. T. $6000; 6 per cent, 5 years; will trade. Box R-99, P.-D.

MERCHANDISE Wtd.—To exchange 160-acre farm, Wayne County, Ill., 100 miles east of St. Louis; fine level tract of land, soil A1, about half in cultivation; timber on balance will pay for clearing same; price $75 per acre; incumbrance $4000, 6 per cent, long time; for exchange for merchandise or good income property; might pay some cash difference, or assume; March 6 and 7, address G. S. C., Maryland Hotel, St. Louis, Mo.

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85 acres on Manchester rd; house and improvements, 17 miles from St. Louis, for farming, dairy or chicken farm it can't be beat; vacant house or flat.

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BUNGALOW—For sale, 6437 Newport av., overlooking Webster Park; 6 rooms, reception hall, bath, hot and cold water, electricity, hot-water heat, screened-in porch; garage, chicken house; lot 50x171, made street and sidewalk; price reduced to $3000 for quick sale. See C. J. HILL, 812 Chestnut st.

HOUSE—For sale, Webster home, 533 Oakwood av., n. e. cor. Marion av.; lot 75x200; 7 large rooms, reception hall, bath, large attic, granitoid cellar, furnace, sewer, water, gas, electricity, hardwood floors first floor; street made, granitoid walk, frame garage; fine location; take Manchester car line, get off at Oakwood av., go 1 block west; show this ad and owner will show property; price reduced to $4800; reasonable terms; go out today and examine this carefully, then submit your best proposition, as this property must be sold at once. KENT JARVIS, Sole Agent, 706 Chestnut st.

BUNGALOW—For sale; see this modern 7-room bungalow today; 965 Girard av., Webster Groves; easy terms can be arranged; home occupied by owner.

We will build you a bungalow or house in Webster Groves; you can pay us in rent money.

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3551 Lafayette, 6 rooms $6000
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Hardwood floors throughout; Dutch dining rooms; brick and stone porches; shades fixtures, screened porches, hot water heat with self-regulator, and many other special features; will sell on very easy terms.

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2938 Winnebago, north of Gravois, 5 rooms, reception hall, tile bath, furnace, slate sinks, inside entrance to cellar; lot 37x125; strictly modern. Make offer.

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WEST

BUNGALOW—For sale; modern 5 rooms, 4522 McKinley av.

COTTAGE—For sale; brick; every modern convenience; large corner lot; a bargain. 6334 Ridge av. (99)

COTTAGE—For sale; nice frame; 5 rooms; bath, gas, barn, basement, asphalt street; easy terms; price $2800. 1207 N. Sprine.

BUNGALOW—For sale; 3 rooms, fine basement, sewer, water, gas; must see to appreciate; $50 cash, balance like rent. 6209 Idaho.

HOUSE—For sale or trade for acre property, 6322 Isabel av., Wellston, Mo.; lot 25x136; 4-room house, near 2 schools and 5 car lines; water and gas.

COTTAGE—For sale; 5-room frame; bath, gas, must sell; reduced each week until sold; now $2400; easy terms; owner, 1465 Arlington av.

COTTAGE—For sale; 6613 Chamberlain av.; lot 25x125, street and sewers made; 5-room frame, with water; just the place for a workingman who wants to save money; your rent money will buy this house; worth $1200, will sell for $800; terms to suit.

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REDUCTION EACH WEEK.

Cottage for sale, 5-room frame, bath, gas; must sell; reduced weekly until sold; now $2400; easy terms; located 1465 Arlington av.; owner on premises. (c)

NORTH

COTTAGE—For sale; 6-room; bath; gas; want offer; terms. Box N-89, P.-D.

COTTAGE—For sale, 3 rooms, with basement, gas and water. 4204 Kossuth.

COTTAGE—For sale, 5-room brick, modern. 2562 Geraldine av.

COTTAGE—For sale; brick; 7 rooms, with stable. 1408 Madison; $200 cash, balance monthly.

HOUSE—For sale, 4 rooms, basement, all improvements, 4246 Kossuth; phone Delmar 4329L; near Fairground Park; $1800.

COTTAGE—For sale; 4 rooms, corner; improvements made; no reasonable offer refused. 4290 Farlin.

COTTAGE—For sale; 2247 Alcott av.; new, modern; 6-room brick; a bir snap; low price; easy terms; see this today sure.

COTTAGE—For sale; 4 rooms; all improvements; cheap for a quick sale. 4214 De Soto.

COTTAGE—For sale; 4-room brick; bath, reception hall, furnace, stable. Call 4286 Kossuth.

COTTAGE—For sale; 7212 N. Broadway; lot 25x275; brick cottage; large porch; garden space.

JAS. A. DAVIE, 810 Chestnut st.

COTTAGE—For sale; brick; 4 rooms, bath, finished basement; all improvements made; will sell at a bargain; easy terms. 5657 North Market st.

COTTAGE—For sale; 2529 Semple; 5 rooms, hardwood floors, tile bath, fixtures. Owner will sacrifice for small amount cash.

JAS. A. DAVIE, 810 Chestnut st.

COTTAGE—For sale; 7 rooms, bath, furnace, electric fixtures, grape arbor, lot 35x120; price conservative; will consider any reasonable offer. 4961 Margaretta.

HOUSE—For sale; 4481 Margaretta av., corner of

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SOUTH

Beautiful McCausland Av.

Owner Moved From the City

1069 McCausland av.; lot 55x135 feet; 7-room house; 2 years old; hot water heat, hardwood floors, tile bath, tile roof, copper gutters and downspouts, steel girders and columns; brick porch with 20-floor balcony; all modern improvements; one block from Market car. Price and terms right. Apply on premises.

WEST

RESIDENCE—For sale, 5-room, improvements, $2300; terms. 5361 Patton.

HOUSE—For sale; 4275 Olive st.; well-built; lot 30x150. Telephone Main 740. (c)

HOUSE—For sale, 5964 Minerva, 8 rooms and bath, stone front, electric fixtures; $4000; cost $5000.

RESIDENCE—For sale; 8 rooms; in University City. Additional information, address Box N-245, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE—$200 cash and rent money buys my modern 9-room home on Cabanne av.; must sell at once; $6000. Box M-29, Post-Dis.

RESIDENCE—For sale, 3726 Delmar, near Grand; 11 rooms, lot 40x145; electricity, gas; see owner for investment price, terms.

HOUSE—For sale, modern, 8 rooms, brick, 5065 Page bl.; price reduced; see it. Phone Cabany 3391.

HOUSE—For sale, 6 rooms, modern, for $2600, or $800 cash, balance assume. 6323 Isabel, Wellston.

RESIDENCE—For sale; 4442 Morgan; 11 rooms; no incumbrance; no trade; cash. Mrs. Phillip, 3620 Washington.

RESIDENCE—For sale, modern, six rooms, West End; large lot; garage; reasonable. Box A-27, Post-Dispatch. (99)

RESIDENCE—For sale; 12 rooms, furnace, bath, etc.; rent $40 month; 4055 Page bl., price $3750; terms; make offer.
M. O'CONNOR, 217, 706 Chestnut. (c2)

RESIDENCE—For sale, brick, 7 rooms and bath; modern improvements, in West End; bargain for cash or time payments. Phone Cabany 3255.

RESIDENCE—For sale; 5070 Westminster pl.; modern; 12 rooms; superior conveniences and appointments. M. P. Donahoe. Phone Forest 7183.

RESIDENCE—For sale; 4225 Evans av.; modern 8-rooms; with finished attic and all improvements; no agent; $3100; owner. Cabany 4023R.

DWELLING—Get this house before segregation law goes into effect; best proposition on Cook; will sell to reliable parties part cash. Box E-96, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSES—For sale, three modern eight-room houses and lot adjoining; central West End; quick sale wanted to close an estate; terms to suit. Box R-62, P.-D.

RESIDENCE—For sale, in Cathedral Parish, 9 large light rooms, in best of order; bath, toilet, good furnace; owner left city; will make very low price. Box E-89, P.-D.

RESIDENCE—For sale or lease, at a bargain, my residence, 6168 Westminster pl.; 8 rooms; strictly modern, with garage, telephone. Owner, Main 284, or Kirkwood 649J.

HOME—For sale; 7-room, modern, brick; all improvements made; high-grade decorations; ready to move in; will sacrifice for quick sale; reasonable terms. Inquire 6033A Bartmer av.

NEW HOME—For sale, exceptionally well-built 8-room residence, thoroughly modern, finest tile bath, lavatory on first floor, stationary tubs, garage, 50-foot lot; the highest and best residential section of St. Louis. 4142 Lindell bl., Delmar 2435R.

RESIDENCE—For sale or exchange, modern residence property, at 4249 Delmar bl.; incumbrance $3500, 6 per cent, 2 years; a bargain for cash, or will sell on good terms; will consider exchange for flat, assume, or might pay some cash difference. March or and address G. S. C., Maryland Hotel, St. Louis, Mo.

DWELLING—For sale; 5030 Berlin av.; rooms, tile bath, hardwood floors throughout, copper gutters, bronze screens, slate roof, hot-water heat, etc.; can be bought at a very reasonable price, on easy terms; open Sunday afternoon and by appointment. LEISNER REALTY AND BUILDING CO., 1344 Pierce Bldg.

HOUSE—For sale, eight-room brick home, hardwood floors, English dining room, entrance has cathedral exposure and light up-to-date, and very comfortable; first inspector will buy; $4650 including deed of trust, $3500; leaving no reason for moving away; would consider Omaha improved or vacant. 5615 Minerva av.

HOUSE—For sale, 5624 Waterman av.; just below Kingshighway; tile bath, pantry, linoleum, sleeping porch; ¾-inch hardwood floors throughout, copper gutters and downspouts, self-regulating system of hot-water heat; bronze screens, lighting fixtures and shades furnished; this house will appeal to the critical buyer; it is modern and complete; open Sunday afternoon and by appointment. Can be bought on terms.
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4616 MORGAN ST.—$3750—SNAP.
Owner of 4616 Morgan st.; must sell and will sacrifice this residence for $3750 cash; will take clear lot in part pay.
CASE-HEATH R. E. CO., 1006 Chestnut st.

MODERN HOUSE

Seven rooms and sleeping porch, hardwood floors, copper screens; must be seen to be appreciated. 5152 Kensington.

WASHINGTON HEIGHTS HOME.
St. Roch's parish; 60xx Kingsbury pl.; 7 rooms, reception hall, hot-water heat, hardwood floors, tile bath; price very low.
BRADLEY & QUINETTE.

West End Home Bargain

1231 Goodfellow av., between Etzel and Julian; a modern 9-room home; Dutch dining room; tile bath, etc.; house about 6 years old; must be sold and will be sacrificed. Open 2 to 5.
JOHN M. RIELLEY, 1000 Chestnut st.

THE IDEA

Is ridiculous that you haven't seen this grand 8-room house, located on the corner of Harvard and Cornell avenues, in University City. House has 9 rooms, beautifully finished and decorated; sidewalks and electric fixtures; lawn and well-made streets and walks; fine shade trees; near street car and fine schools; owner needs money and will sell for much less than it could be duplicated today. Open all day Sunday. Will make very reasonable terms. For further particulars call Cabany 3255.

RESIDENCE 10 rooms, modern; will sell cheap; terms; must be seen to be appreciated. 4445 Page.

6181 McPherson Avenue, $6500

Eight rooms, reception hall, tile bath, hardwood floors; owner must sell at once and has instructed us to take $6500 for this home, which is about 4 doors east of Skinker road; look at this today. Call
CASE-HEATH R. E. CO., 1006 Chestnut st.

RESIDENCE—FOR SALE, PARKVIEW. CALL CABANY 4660, BETWEEN 9 AND P. M. SUNDAY. BOX B-141, POST-DISPATCH.

51xx VON VERSON $7000

Nine-room residence, hardwood floors, tile bath, hot-water heat.
MASON-TREPP R. E. CO.,
722 Chestnut st.

FINE HALLIDAY AV. HOME

3539 Halliday av., an extra well-built 2-story Queen Anne stone-front, 9-room brick dwelling; elegant reception hall, hardwood floors throughout; tiled bath; first floor finished in bird's-eye maple and oak; copper screens, combination fixtures; garage; lot 30x140; nothing finer on the South Side; must be seen to be appreciated; price $7800.
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Delmar, West of Grand Av.

3636, former home of A. L. Shapleigh, will be vacated in the next few weeks; has 12 rooms, hot-water heat, splendid condition; this can be rented or sold at very reasonable terms.
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Modern new house of 9 rooms and reception hall, hardwood floors first and second floors, hot-water heat, electric fixtures, tile bath and porch; screens, window shades, etc.; this house located in Washington Heights will be sold on easy terms at a wonderful sacrifice price, or will take other property in trade. Key of
DYAS REALTY CO., 107 N. Ninth st.

BEAUTIFUL PARKVIEW HOME

6208 BERLIN AV.

A 10-room brick residence, hot-water heat, hardwood floors, tile bath, combination fixtures; everything to make it a strictly modern home; owner is a nonresident, and says home must be sold within the next month; lot 74x172 feet; will submit any reasonable offer; price $13,000.
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$100 CASH

Will buy a nice 9-room house on 5000 block, Cabanne av.; if interested, call Forest 5021R, at once. (c)

Bargain Sale or Lease

5090 Washington

Price $13,000. Lease $1500 Yr.

Attractive Colonial home; 11 rooms, 2 baths (2 on 2d floor), hot-water heat, hardwood floors; lot 50x156; rent enough on side for auto driveway; vacant. Open today for inspection.

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RESIDENCES FOR SALE

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783 AUBERT, $4000.

Good eight-room house, steam heat, just repaired, painted and decorated; lot 30x170; easy terms; immediate possession. Economy Ass'n, 203 Title Guaranty Bldg.

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9 and 10 Rooms; 2 and 3 Baths.

Sleeping porches, hot-water heat, hardwood finish, copper gutters and downspouts, garbage incinerators.

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Lots 50x192; made alley.
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5056 Clemens Avenue

10-room tile-roof brick residence; reception hall, cabinet mantels, hardwood floors, combination fixtures, porcelain tile bath, granitoid basement, hot-water heat; lot 50x185; will trade for single flat in southwest portion of the city.
MERCANTILE TRUST CO., Agent, 8th & Locust.

UNUSUAL BARGAIN
5038 Washington Bl.
CUT TO $9500.

Here is your opportunity to pick up an attractive and substantial home at a very low price; 12 rooms, 2 baths on 2d floor, hot-water heat, hardwood floors; lot 50x156; room enough on side for auto driveway; vacant. Open today for inspection.
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104-106 N. Eighth St.

NORTH

HOUSE—For sale, six-room, 3725 Cote Brilliante; lot 20x120; owner two doors east.

HOUSE—For sale, 2820 N. 12th st., 6-room house; price $1200. Box B-156, P.-D.

RESIDENCE—For sale; 7-room bath, furnace and fixtures, price $2600. 3918 Kennerly.

HOUSES—For sale; 1408 Monroe st., two-story brick, all conveniences; gas, nice attic, cellar; make offer.

HOME—For sale, 8 rooms, all conveniences, value $3900; easy terms. Box P-273, Post-Dis. Grand av., or will sell or exchange; look at these immediately and phone us and we will give all further information. Also,

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Fine business corner, almost new, in first-class location; fine business corner and two modern flats above. Will consider terms.
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Lot 54x200 through to Moore st., two 10-room houses and stable.
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N. e. cor. Jefferson av. and Potomac st.; 2-story brick building, store; 6 rooms on second and third floors; fine cellar; all improvements made; lot 25x125; very cheap at $4500; any reasonable terms.
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4357 Manchester av., 2-story brick shop, with large frame workroom in rear, occupied by plumber, who will take a 2-year lease at $15 per month; lot 25x190; price $1400.
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MAKE AN OFFER
3032 Magazine Street

Eight-room residence; furnace, bath, 2-story stable; lot 52x125; house on west line of lot, so additional residence or flat can be built on east end of lot.
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MISCELLANEOUS

WAREHOUSE—For sale or lease, 30x60 feet, with corner lot, 86x131; apply 2008 S. 8th. (c)

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1921-23 Dodier st.; large lot 71 feet front; 2½-story brick for 4 families, of 4 and 5 rooms and finished attic, water, gas and toilets in house; rent $816 a year; price only $6800. See us Monday for card of admission, as this is a real bargain, and it won't last long.
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HOME NEAR FOREST PARK.

4548 Gibson av.; lot 25x133; 2-story brick residence of 7 rooms, bathroom, separate toilet room, furnace, all conveniences; owner will be pleased to show you through; dandy location; must be sold on account of sickness.
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FAIRGROUND PARK FLAT.

41xx Farlin av.; lot 30 feet, fine 6 and 6 room brick flat; tile baths, hot water heat, combination fixtures, built-in bookcases, fireplaces with gas logs; concrete sleeping porches, brick porch with tile flooring; one of the most modern flats in this location; price only $7000; want offer; it will pay you to see us about this.
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OFFER WANTED.

4707 Pennsylvania av.; lot 25x125; 2-story brick of 4 and 4 rooms, bath, granitoid cellar; owner downstairs, will show you through.
GEO. J. WANSTRATH, 717½ Chestnut st.

PRICE CUT TO $4900.

4126 St. Louis av.; lot 40x143; 2½-story brick residence of 7 rooms and large slate roof attic, reception hall, bathroom, furnace, granitoid laundry, all conveniences; owner will show you through; look at it and then see us.
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PRICE ONLY $4400.

4257 Lexington av.; lot 35x130; 2-family brick of 5 and 5 rooms, all large rooms, wired for electricity and piped for furnace, granitoid cellar; see owner upstairs.
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NICE HOME, NEAR GRAND AV., $2500.

3610 Sullivan av., lot 28x135½; 2½-story frame of 7 rooms and 2 attic rooms, bath, hot and cold water, gas fixtures, etc.; a cheap home for a large family.
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His flat at 2344 Louisiana av.; lot 25x130; 4 and 4 room brick, baths, combination fixtures, hot and cold water, granitoid cellar; asking $4200, but we want your best offer this week.
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Large, attractive and substantial; 13 rooms and sleeping porch; hardwood floors; lot 60x218.

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Three-story rock-front Queen Anne; 11 rooms; hot-water heat, hardwood floors; lot 50x213.

4344 West Pine Bl...$8500
Very attractive modern home; 12 rooms; hot-water heat, hardwood floors; lot 40x213.

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Ten rooms, 2 baths, hardwood floors; lot 67.6x125.
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4116 Taft av.; 3 rooms and bath; $1850.
4830 Shenandoah av.; 6 rooms and bath; $1950.
5505 Putnam st.; 4 rooms and bath; $2185.
3239 Iowa av.; 3 rooms and bath; $2400.
902 Fassen st.; modern, 5-room cottage; $3300.
2749 Chippewa st.; 3-room flats; $3500.
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Make me an offer. For particulars see ADOLPH HERBER, 5508 Virginia av. (c)

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Railroad property that must be sold to settle an estate, a 2-story factory building and 5-room frame house in the rear of Tully and Bulwer avs., 147 feet facing the Terminal tracks; can be bought for less than the improvements cost; best offer will buy.
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2921 to 2931 Ohio av.; three high-class, new double flat, three rooms each; just being completed; tile baths, furnace heat, combination fixtures; finest in city; $1000 cash, balance easy terms, or will take clear residence or other clear property as part pay. Also,

4114 TO 24 DE TONTY STREET

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Church For Sale
N. W. Cor.
Academy & Vernon

Church building in good condition; lot 100x135; can be bought very reasonable.
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4207-9-11-13 Easton Av.

Lot 70x165.

Four brick houses; 6 rooms each; plenty of vacant ground in front that can be used for stores; can sell or trade on a very attractive basis.
McNAIR & HARRIS REALTY CO.,
N. W. Cor. 4th and Olive.

NORTH

STORE—For sale, 5521 St. Louis, store and two rooms, flat of five rooms, $2500; or will rent. (c)

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FOR SALE LIST OF FLATS.

4106 CASTLEMAN AV.
Large 4 and 5 room flat, with all improvements; 30-ft. lot, brick alley; $4400.

4126-28A RUSSELL AV.
Double front, two families; 5 rooms and bath; all improvements; brick alley; 36-ft. lot; $4750.

3644 TENNESSEE AV.
Two families; 5 rooms and bath each; all conveniences; brick street; $4000.

3527-29 PARK AV.
Large 2-family corner flat; one-half block to Grand av.; 5 and 6 rooms; modern, well built, up-to-date.

3405-05A PESTALOZZI ST.
Large 2-family flat; 6 and 8 rooms; slate roof; attic; fine location; 35-foot lot.

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Splendid 5 and 6 room flat; brick porches; hot-water heat; 32-ft. lot; at bargain price.

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Extra fine built 2-family home; finished in the best and most particular manner; complete 5 and 6 room apartments; 35-foot lot.

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TENEMENT—For sale; 4-family; 3 rooms each; North St. Louis; bargain. Box E-74, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE—For sale; 4-room frame; lot 50x100; 9800 south; 2 blocks from car; clear; $600; one-half cash; balance terms.

BUNGALOW—4 rooms; on Itaska st.; just west of Grand; lot 50x123; one large shed, $200; $150 cash, balance terms.

LOT—For sale 100x123, adjoining above with 3 large chicken sheds; $800; part cash, balance terms.
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FARM—For rent; 150 acres; 60 in cultivation; Cuba, Mo. K. Nichols, 1317 Euclid.

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FARM—For rent; five acres; four rooms; water in house; near car; $16. 6317A Cutalpa, Wellston.

FARM—For rent; small; 5-room house; 31 acres; 20 miles from city; $60 per year, advance; call Sunday, 3753 Cass.

FARM—For rent on shares, 70 acres, suitable for cultivation, 400 timber, pasture, near De Soto. H. McCallister, 4500 Papin.

FARM—For rent; well-improved 60 acres; adjoining the city; cash $525; a fine summer home or truck garden. Add. W. P. O'Brien, Fredericktown, Mo.

POULTRY FARM—For lease, 7 acres, 6-room house, barn, etc., will sell poultry house, poultry, stock, implements, complete for $2500. Price $600. West car line. G. Noble, 9997 S. Broadway.

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FARM—For rent; 20 acres or well cultivated ground with 9-room house, on Natural Bridge road, near Carsonville; splendid place for fine truck gardener; $400 per year. JOHN McMENAMY INV. & R. E. CO., 1308 N. Grand av. (c6)

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FARMS WANTED

IMPROVED FARM Wtd.—60 or more, in cultivation; a bargain. Box R-235, P.-D.

FARM Wtd.—To hear from owner of farm or unimproved land for sale. O. K. Hawker, Bethany, Mo.

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FARM Wtd.—To rent, experienced Illinois farmer; stock and furnished; references. Box J-85, Post-Dispatch.

FARM Wtd.—Small farm, near St. Louis; give price and description. Box R-40, Post-Dispatch.

FARM Wtd.—I am on the market for a farm of about 100 acres; not over $30 per acre; will pay $500 down, balance time; state all particulars first letter. Box P-111, Jerseyville, Ill.

FARM Wtd.—In St. Louis County, in exchange for my 9-room residence; slate roof, hardwood floors, furnace, hot and cold water, vacuum cleaner, electric fixtures and garage. Central 1243. (c99)

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Located near railroad, street car or jitney service, or on good auto road; have cash buyers for small and large tracts, and size. Write
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FARM—For sale; 40 acres. Box E-105, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FARM—For sale; 80-acre; 4 miles from good town, at bargain. 7312A Manchester, Maplewood.

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LAND—For sale; cheapest land in America at price $10 to $25 per acre. Robertson, 4321-23, 4335-41 Penrose st.; three high-class double flats, same as above. Can also sell on above terms or exchange.

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STORES AND FLATS—For sale; 3, corner Page and Temple pl.; good business corner; must sell; price reduced. Owner, 1246 Temple pl.

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Five-room flat above; hardwood floors, electricity, heat, etc.; in perfect order; rents $780; advancing in value; 922 Belt, corner Hodiamont car line; only $2000 cash down; invest your war stocks profit in this safe, sure investment; open today. Call Forest 3965.

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Church building in good condition; lot 100x135; can be bought very reasonable.
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FARMS as low as $5 and $10 per acre, at foothills of the Ozark Mountains, in Independence County, Ark.; description sent for the asking. Wright & Halfacre, Batesville, Ark. (99)

FARM—For sale; 80 acres, 3 miles from St. Paul, Madison County; the north half of the southwest quarter of section 22, township 14 north, range 26 west. The land is gently rolling, good, rich, black sandy loam; 60 acres tillable, 25 acres cleared and in cultivation; some excellent saw timber; ¾ mile to good school; good house, barn, corn crib and hog house; good well of water; plenty of all kinds of fruits for family use; perfect title; price for quick sale, $400. G. B. Jones, Greenville, Ill.

FARM—For sale; 280 acres, near Hope, Hempstead Co., Ark., about 120 acres open land in cultivation and pasture; about 200,000 feet pine and oak sawmill timber; farm is all fenced, and improved with new buildings; nice six-room house, with front and back porch; barn 24x40; chicken and tool house, 20x30; water piped to horse lot; drilled overflowing well, 40 acres Bermuda pasture. Fine for stock raising; land can all be put in cultivation if desired; never overflows; a bargain for whoever gets it. Address Box 202, Trenton, Ill.

FARMS—For sale, 80 acres, 30 acres in cultivation, 20 acres good land to clear, price $15 per acre. Farm, 60 acres, 10 acres in cultivation; good spring; $12 per acre. Farm, 80 acres, 30 acres in cultivation; good spring; $12 per acre. Farm, 200 acres, 70 acres in cultivation, 40 acres to wheat; all level; good roads; price $12.50. Farm, 40 acres, 35 acres in cultivation; creek bottom; living water through the farm; price $1000 for the farm. All open stock range, high and healthy, fairly good roads; land will grow corn, cotton, wheat and all kind of grasses; is perfection; fine land for peaches and apples; come quick. For list, write Polk & Blackwell, Imboden, Ark. (c)

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LAND—For sale; bargain in the Ozarks; 120 acres, 25 in cultivation, balance in good timber; house, barn; fine running creek; this is all good, rich land, practically all can be put under cultivation; range; bargain, $650; church, school near; 6 miles depot. Remember, all of this land just being put on the market now, and this is a big item to the buyer; new list. W. A. Toles, Black Rock, Lawrence County, Ark.

NO rocks, hills, mountains or floods; 10,000 town; 1000 cultivated. New Baden, Ill.

FARM—For sale or trade; about 31 acres; house, barn, nice orchard; all in cultivation; near school, R. F. D., telephone, main road; 1 mile of one town and railway station; 3½ to 4½ miles of two other good towns and railway stations; about 35 miles of New Orleans; price $1000. Write owner, O. C. Eldman, Belleville, Ill. (c)

FARM—For sale; beautiful lying 20-acre farm, on public road, 3 miles from Mount Vernon; fine location; good five-room frame house; three porches, frame smokehouse, good cellar, good frame barn with sheds, good cistern, good well, about two wells, cistern and everlasting springs; all fenced and cross-fenced; fine surroundings; an ideal home in every respect; price $2500. Address or call on Sam Casey, Mount Vernon, Ill. (c)

POULTRY FARM—For sale; 45 acres, waterworks, grain mill, $4000 in improvements, easy terms, $9000. Ernst Z. Bower, Olney, Ill. (99)

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For sale, 10-acre farms, rich Illinois land convenient to St. Louis markets, for poultry, fruit, dairy and truck; terms price $500, or terms $10 or more cash, balance $10 monthly; will give possession at once. See
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Part of this farm, containing 118 acres, is within the town limits; population about 1000; post office, bank, several general stores, hotels, small stores, churches, schools and flour mills; improvements consist of a good large 12-story 9-room house, on rock foundation; large barn and wagon shelter, sheds, chicken house, etc.; soil a fine dark loam, as fine corn and wheat bottom land to be found anywhere for the price; all under good fence; well looked after and cared for; good, well-cultivated farms are getting scarce; buy now while the price is low; price per acre, $85; owner may consider St. Louis property in exchange and assume; farm free and clear of incumbrance.
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FARM—For sale; 210 acres, near Carter, Miss.; 4 houses, barns, etc.; $4500 on terms to suit. J. Hines, Carter, Minn.

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Let me tell you how to get it. Idaho land is full of it, and the land isn't very high-priced, either. Climate and living conditions are excellent—electricity used for cooking, lighting and heating on many farms—educational advantages unexcelled.

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For sale, 20 acres, 4 acres in oranges; 4 acres in figs, 3 years old; 12 acres in grass, tillable; all fenced; no other improvements; 1 mile from town; good roads; school, church and

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FARM—For sale, 32 acres, all cultivation; ¼ mile city limits De Soto; 160 peach, apt trees; all kinds small fruit; 7-room, frame house, large frame barn, chicken house and other buildings; large cistern; used for truck and chicken farm; price $3800. George Mahn, De Soto, Mo.

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FARM—For sale, 180 acres, ¼ mile from Frisco R. R. station, main line; about 80 acres cultivation; lots of fine valley land, balance timber; small house; fenced; price $2800, worth double; small cash payment, balance long time at 6 per cent; must sell by March 20. Box M-31, Post-Dispatch.

FARM—For sale, 135 acres, one of the most beautiful home sites; two sets of improvements; or will sell in tracts of 85 acres or 50 acres; A1 truck farm; 80 miles from St. Louis, on good rock road; for terms and further information, address Hy. V. Gruben, R. F. D. No. 22, Box 25, Centaur, Mo.

LAND—For sale, 320 acres, Missouri land, 4 miles good railroad town, will make fine stock farm; good market for all cord wood and enough to pay for land; price $2000; terms, $800 cash, balance easy at 6 per cent.
C. J. HILL, 812 Chestnut st.

FARM—For sale; 20 acres; fruit, truck and poultry; located 4¼ miles from town, on main road, paving now; 4-room frame house all new; good water, rural delivery and phone; splendid neighborhood; price $850. Terms on one-half. Write J. A. Green & Son, Cuba, Mo. (c)

FARM—For sale, 80 acres, in Lincoln County, Mo.; 50 miles west of St. Louis, on the Wabash R. R.; 65 acres in cultivation, balance good timber; about 20 acres in bottom land; lays on public road; good orchard; fine water; all stock and implements; $4000; part cash; well improved.
WELLSTON REALTY CO., 6200 Easton av.

FARM—For sale; good opportunity for a farmer; close to home; 198 acres, 4 miles from Valley Park; worth $75 per acre; will sell for $50; one-half bottom land; fine spring; good buildings. This price only for a few days; act quick.
FOLEY BROS. INV. CO., 319 Wainwright Bldg.

FARM—For sale, 62 acres, 50 cultivation; 40 acres young small orchard; 6-room frame house, 2 cisterns, well, 3 springs, large 2-story frame barn; 1½ miles from De Soto; rock road; fine place for dairy, chickens and truck farm; will sell for $4000; take as low as $500 down, balance terms. George Mahn, De Soto, Mo.

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FARMS—For sale, in Warren, Lincoln and St. Charles counties, in all sizes; fruit farms, prairie, bottom, stock and grain, ranging in price from $15 to $80 per acre; write for big price list and full particulars; only 54 miles west of St. Louis, on main line of noble highway, Wabash railroad. Wm. Crews, Wright City, Warren County, Mo.

FARM—For sale; 240 acres; 30 miles from city; 35c fare; rural route, telephone; 60 acres under cultivation, balance timber and pasture; timber enough to pay for farm; two sets buildings; one-half mile from Meramec River; price $30 per acre; small payment, balance low rate interest; buy of owner. Box P-206, Post-Dis.

FARM—For sale, 124 acres, 4½ miles north of Farmington, on rock road, by land owner in cultivation, balance timber; all smooth land; ½ mile from railroad station; good house and barn; fine spring; price $4000; terms. For further particulars phone Riverside 203, or write LEMAY FERRY REALTY CO.,
203 Lemay Ferry rd.

FARM—For sale, 8 acres, all in cultivation; 4-room frame cottage, good cistern, barn and poultry house, good young orchard; also plenty of berries of all kinds; located ¾ mile from Cuba, Mo.; price $1200; private sale; see me Sunday or any evening after 6 p. m. at 5562 St. Edwards st., St. Louis, Mo.

FARM—For sale; 120 acres; Maries County, Mo.; 5 miles from Belle, on public road; 45 acres cultivation, balance timber; 3-room frame house, barn, corn crib, two chicken houses, wagon shed, smokehouse, cistern, ponds; all kinds young fruit trees, grapes, etc. $3,000. J. HILL, 812 Chestnut.

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FARM—For sale, 260 acres, well equipped, stock and grain farm six-room brick house, barn and other outbuildings, well and spring water, telephone service; 200 acres in cultivation, 60 acres in timber; farm slightly rolling and 1 mile of good railroad town of Springfield rd. price $31. Address S. E. Pursley, Robertsville, Mo.

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FARM—For sale, 160 acres, located 4¼ miles north of Cuba, Mo.; on county road, about 50 acres in cultivation, balance timber; pasture, all under wire and rail fence, 5-room frame and log house, convenient to live in, log barn and other outbuildings, good water; this is the running gear of a good stock farm and owner will sacrifice for $12.50 per acre, if taken in 30 days, and you can't beat this place for the money in the state; terms on one-half to suit. Box 174, Cuba, Mo.

FARM—For sale; 20 acres, 1 miles from station, Littleville, Mo., on Iron Mountain Railroad; good 4-room house, 3 acres, bearing orchard; fruit and poultry will pay for farm in few years; all good strong productive land; price $1250; $300 cash, balance long time; possession now; also 186 acres stock farm; well improved; on terms and possession.
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FARM—For sale; fine, fertile, 240-acre farm; bottom land; 175 acres in cultivation; improvements; modern 7-room house, with cellar; large barn, good sheds and outhouses; large orchard; wire fence all around farm; good well at house; running water in every field; located on county road, 1 mile from good town; 3½ miles from school house, in Maries County, Mo.; owner is leaving; terms very reasonable. Box E-186, Post-Dispatch.

FARMS—Trustee's sale; dairy, stock and poultry farm, 5 minutes' walk from good town; Frisco R. R. station; 2 good houses and all kinds of outbuildings, for cows, hogs, horses, poultry, etc.; apple, peach and other bearing fruit; finest site in Ozarks; will sell at $5600, which is one-third actual cost; reasonable cash payment, balance to suit, 6 per cent; biggest bargain of the kind in State; act quick if you want it. Phone Olive 951, or write Trustee, 308 Wainwright Bldg., St. Louis, for full particulars.

FARM—For sale, 160 acres, in Belleview Valley, Iron County; 140 acres in cultivation, balance in timber; rich soil; land gently rolling, no rocks; 30 acres in wheat, one-half with farm; good 2-story 8-room house, extra large barn, and other necessary outbuildings; well at house, never-failing spring in barn lot; 2 miles from town; ¼ mile to school; phone in house. Further particulars phone Riverside 203, or write
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FARM—For sale, 131 acres, 75 in cultivation, balance in timber; 3-room log house, family orchard; 2 good springs; fine place for a lake; on good rock road, 3 miles to Kimmswick; price $3000. 97 acres, 75 in cultivation; all in clover; 15 acres in bottom; small improvements; family orchard; on a good auto road, 18 miles south of city limits in Jefferson County; price $5000. These two farms adjoin and can be bought as one. For further information phone Riverside 203, or write LEMAY FERRY REALTY CO.,
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FARM—For sale, 280 acres, 12 miles southeast of Farmington; 210 acres in cultivation, balance in fine timber; rich soil, level and free from rocks; 8-room house, with doubled sealed frame house, cellar 10x30; good frame barn, 50x52, and hay fork; 12 acres fine bearing orchard; good wire and picket fences; 8 big cisterns; 2 good springs and 2 stock ponds; 3 miles to railroad; good market; price $6500, half cash, balance easy terms. Further particulars phone Riverside 203, or write LEMAY FERRY REALTY CO.,
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FARM—For sale, 160 acres, at a sacrifice if taken at once; 1½ miles of St. James, Mo.; good 8-room house, good cellar under house; large barns and all outbuildings; 10 acres of orchard, about 130 acres in cultivation; 60 acres of which is creek bottom land; no overflow; all can be cultivated except about 5 acres, creek runs through farm, giving everlasting stock water, good well and cistern; about 25 meadow; this farm must be sold by March 15; price $4000, $1000 cash, balance 5 years, 5¼ per cent; possession at once. Add. Box 754, St. James, Mo.

FARM—For sale, 95 acres; 60 in cultivation, balance timber; all fenced and cross-fenced with hog-wire fence; 2 acres in orchard; 4-room frame house, front and back porch; 2-room log house; concrete cellar; log barn, frame stable, corn crib and hay loft; chicken house, hog pens and cow sheds; cistern, well and stock tank; 1 mile from Frisco station, 5 miles from Lebanon, county seat of Laclede County, on St. Louis and Springfield road. Price $2000. Further information phone Riverside 203, or write
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203 Lemay Ferry rd.

FARM—For sale, No. 15; 210 acres; 140 acres in cultivation; 40 acres No. 1 bottom land; all fenced; rural mail and phone line; well and cistern; good loam soil; 7-room house, with cellar; barn 52x75 feet, 22 feet high; crib, implement sheds and all kinds of outbuildings; five miles to railroad town; school and church close; all in good condition; a bargain at $8500. For particulars call on or write
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FARM—The greatest bargain I have ever offered; rock, gravel, clay by all odds, the best soil in Southeast Missouri of which I have knowledge; authorities agree that better land does not grow; 160 acres in the Stoddard County, Southeast Missouri, between Little River and Castor River, in the Little River Drainage District; I own and offer an exceptionally well-located tract of 7625 acres; 1000 acres in cultivation, 2000 acres deadened; 12 sets of improvements; 3 railroad shipping points and 3 railroads; Town of Dudley and Indiana Spur, on the land; price, for prompt acceptance, $348,260; terms; no trades. Griff Glover, 5070 Waterman av., St. Louis. (c99)

FARM—Here is best improved farm bargain ever offered. 163 acres; 105 cultivated, 15 meadow, 5 peach and apple orchard, 3 garden and lawn, 50 blue grass and red clover; rolling, productive soil; no overflow; 4 good springs; 7-room house in fine condition; Barn 40x70; granary; modern chicken house, 20x70; smoke house, 12x16; woodshed and tool house, 16x20; all under good fence, fronting on gravel and macadamized road to St. Louis, 41 miles; 1¾ miles southwest of Gray's Summit; Missouri Pacific R. R. Will sell for $140 per acre; no more, nor no less; must sell before April 1st. Title perfect and immediate possession. See A Mittleberg, 325 International Life Building.

FARM—For sale; a real bargain; 420-acre farm; 160 acres in cultivation; in valley bottom; rich soil; farm all fenced and cross-fenced; good, new 9-room frame dwelling, large barn and other outbuildings; 100-ton silo, also 1 good 4-room log dwelling and large barn; 4 wells, 90 feet deep; plenty stock water, 3 good orchards; close to school and church; 7 miles from town; also have 14 head horses, 17 head cattle, 35 tons hay, 30 acres corn, buggy, mules, cutter, 6-horsepower gas engine, corn grinder, sheller, mower, rake, binder, 3 harrows, plows, blacksmith tools and other articles; farming implements as good as new; also 270 bushels corn, 10 tons hay, 50 tons silage; price $10,000; half cash, balance terms to suit. Write me. John A. Gray, St. James, Mo.

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204 acres, all highly improved, fenced and cross fenced with best American hog wire, divided in several fields, can use riding machine; 150 acres smooth land in cultivation; most of which is broad valley; 64 acres timbered pasture; all good tillable land; modern 10-room 3-story house, with large wide sleeping porches, other buildings, excellent water in fields and at house, fruit for family use; property located 4½ miles north of Cuba, Mo.; 1¼ mile station on public road; rural delivery and phone; strictly first-class neighborhood; nice surroundings; this farm is owned by nonresident; property is in high state of cultivation and will pay 10 per cent on the investment. This is a North Missouri farm, shipped over into the Ozarks; price $10,000; terms on one-half to suit. Write J. A. Green & Son, Cuba, Mo.

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FARM—For sale, good suburban home, with 20 acres, and small dairy, cows and feed. Owner, Box 371, Nashville, Ill.

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Pay loan monthly note; no membership or registration fees; established 27 years.
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In all sums from $500 up. If your loan is coming due and you want it renewed or you want money on your city real estate or money to build, it will pay you to see us at once. Prompt answer and reasonable rates.
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On first or second deeds of trust, in large or small sums, at 5 and 6 per cent; quick answer; reasonable commission; papers drawn free of charge; have out-of-town client here waiting to place some small sums this week. See DYAS REALTY CO., 107 N. Ninth.

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$100 BY private party; to be repaid in installments; good interest. Box B-43, P.-D.

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MONEY Wtd.—$800, from private party; six months; two securities. Box R-125, P.-D.

MONEY Wtd.—$700, for equity in improved St. Louis property. Box E-131, Post-Dis.

MONEY Wtd.—$2000, at 6 per cent, on new city property. Box P-232, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—$100, for 6 months; good security and interest. Box R-202, P.-D.

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MONEY Wtd.—$800, on gilt-edge $2000 first deed of trust, security. Edgar Waer, 722 Chestnut.

MONEY Wtd.—$500, to patent and promote new enterprise; money maker. Box R-163, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY Wtd.—$8500, 6 per cent, on 3-story brick building, with 4 stores and 8 flats; annual rental, $2100. Box M-12, Post-Dis.

MONEY Wtd.—$9000, 6 per cent, on good corner, exclusive flat; rent now netted for over $1600 a year. Box M-24, Post-Dis.

MONEY Wtd.—$9000, 3 years, 5 per cent;

POST-DISPATCH'S REVIEW OF REAL ESTATE NEWS

BY BERRY MOORE

NEW BIG HOTEL TO BE BUILT NEXT TO LINDELL STORE

Prominent Men and Firms Associated in Enterprise to Erect Building at Washington Avenue and Ninth Street, Projected by Mortgage Trust Co.

LOOKING FOR MAN TO OPERATE THE PLACE

Plans Show That It Will Be Somewhat Larger Than Any Other Hostelry in St. Louis and Will Be Made Thoroughly Up to Date and Fireproof.

The Mortgage Trust Co. announces the completion of the financial arrangements for the new hotel building to be erected on the southeast corner of Washington avenue and Ninth street. Tom W. Bennett, president of the Mortgage Trust Co., yesterday stated that there were associated and financially interested in the enterprise the following: John D. Davis of the Lindell Store, Edward Mallinckrodt, Daniel Catlin, D. R. Francis, T. S. Maffitt, Jackson Johnson, R. H. Stockton, Edwin T. Nugent, Benjamin Gratz, the Lindell Real Estate Co., Stix-Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co., Rice-Stix Dry Goods Co., William H. Thompson Trust Co., Sonnenfeld Millinery Co., Levis-Zukoski Mercantile Co., Kline Apparel Co., Lammert Furniture Co., Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney Dry Goods Co., Lesser-Goldman Cotton Co., Shapleigh Investment Co., Tutt Estate, Chapman Estate, I. W. Morton Estate, M. Rosenheim Trustees, Mrs. Kate M. Howard, Mrs. Adele S. Morrison and Messrs. Claude Kilpatrick, John Fowler and Charles Wiggins of the Liggett Realty Co.

Not Definitely Concluded.

Bennett stated that while all of the finances necessary for the erection of the building had been provided, there were yet many things to be done before the matter was definitely concluded. The next step will be to make contract with a capable hotel man, which shall provide that upon completion of the building he will appropriately furnish and operate the property as a high-class hotel.

It will be a little larger than any other hotel in the city and it is the desire of those interested to have it operated as the best in the city. While the group interested has had overtures from several successful hotel men, no choice has yet been made, but it is thought that negotiations in this direction will be concluded during the week or certainly within the next 10 days.

19,000 Square Feet of Ground.

The lot fronts 130 feet on the South side of Washington Avenue by 150 feet on Ninth street and has a ground area of more than 19,000 square feet. It was selected on account of its size and very central location. It adjoins the Lindell Store and is only two blocks from the Grand-Leader department store, one block from the Rice-Stix Dry Goods Co. building, one block from the department store of Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney Dry Goods Co., two blocks from the Federal Building and downtown Postoffice and is within easy walking distance from any point in the main business district of the city between Broadway and Twelfth street.

The building will occupy the entire one-half block and will be fourteen or fifteen stories high, with basement and sub-basement. It will contain approximately 400 guest rooms, large banquet room, ballroom, private dining rooms and all other kinds of accessory rooms deemed expedient or necessary for the comfort and convenience of the guests.

Will Be Fireproof.

It will be of fireproof type construction with steel skeleton frame, reinforced concrete floors and masonry enclosing walls. The exterior will be designed so as to express the character of the occupancy and this will be emphasized by balconies on the street fronts which open off of the principal rooms on the first floor mezzanine and second story levels.

Large two-story windows on Washington avenue front denote the location of the main banquet room and the large windows at the corner of Ninth and St. Charles streets indicate the main dining room.

The general effect of the exterior is made interesting by the use of a soft textural golden brown brick for the upper or bedroom floors, while the public portion of the building which occupies the first four stories will be in ivory tinted terra cotta facing which is recalled again in the main cornice.

The iron balconies will be painted a light gray tone, thus adding its share in making the color scheme unusually attractive.

The name for the hotel has not yet been selected, nor have sufficiently accurate estimates of the cost at this time been obtained to state definitely what the total cost will be, but taken together with the valuation of the ground, the investment will represent more than $1,200,000. Add to this the cost of furniture and furnishings of the property, which will probably run from $200,000 to $250,000, and the entire property will represent an investment value of approximately $2,000,000.

The Mortgage Trust Co., as well as handling the finances of the enterprise will have direct supervision over the entire matter until its completion.

Mauran, Russell & Crowell have been chosen architects and are now working to complete the plans and specifications. Their description of the building is as follows:

"The interior of the building is planned with the idea of meeting the local climatic conditions; the principal rooms being so located as to avoid the necessity of artificial ventilation, and still be quite comfortable at all seasons of the year. The lobby, which will be accessible from Washington avenue as well as Ninth street, is a spacious room with all of the customary conveniences well located, and in addition offers an opportunity for resting.

Lobby Is Convenient.

"The lobby is so located as to be within easy communication of all the public rooms, the grill room being directly accessible on the same floor level, while the conveniences for men in the shape of barber shop and cafe are down a few steps. The writing rooms, tea rooms and lounging rooms will be on the mezzanine a few feet higher. All of these rooms open directly on the lobby and serve to make it the center of activities. The absence of many of the customary partitions adds to the comfort of the guests by allowing a free circulation of air throughout the rooms.

"The main dining room with its south and west outlook is at the corner of Ninth and St. Charles streets; its location making it one of the most cheerful rooms of its kind in the city.

Will Have French Windows.

"The first-floor mezzanine rooms will have French windows leading to the balconies and space on this level is divided into writing and tea rooms.

"The library and private dining room, capable of seating 170, are handled in an attractive way, so as to harmonize with the lobby.

"In fact, the first floor and its mezzanines are practically a unit, so far as finish and decorations are concerned.

"The large banquet room is located on the second floor; is 66 feet wide, 150 feet long and 22 feet high.

"It is treated somewhat as the great English dining halls are, even to its large, two-storied, leaded-glass windows on the two street fronts. The room is capable of seating comfortably 700 persons, and has as a large vestibule a lobby which faces Ninth street, while the retiring and dressing rooms for men and women are adequate.

"On this same floor are located two private dining rooms, one capable of seating 30 persons and the other 120. This latter room can be divided into several small rooms. On the second-floor mezzanine is located a gallery overlooking the banquet room and is intended to take care of interested spectators. On this floor level are located the sample rooms so arranged to meet the requirements in a satisfactory manner, each room having its own bath.

"The building above the fourth-story level is L-shaped, with a court 66 feet by 95 feet, and contains the bedrooms. These bedrooms are served by three high-speed electric elevators which open on a vestibule on each story, the vestibules being cut off from the corridors for the purpose of eliminating the noise of operating the machines and doors. The corridors are carpeted and are of ample width.

"The bedrooms will vary sufficiently in size to satisfy the demands of all guests. Each room will be carpented, decorated attractively, has its own bath, clothes closet and telephone, and, in addition to the additional illumination will have electric outlets for the convenience of the guests.

"Attention has been paid to the service portion of the house. The kitchen, which is on the first floor mezzanine, is 46 feet by 102 feet, and is only a few feet above the main dining room; immediately under the banquet room and close to the private dining rooms. It is thoroughly ventilated and so arranged that it meets the requirements, no matter how varied they may be.

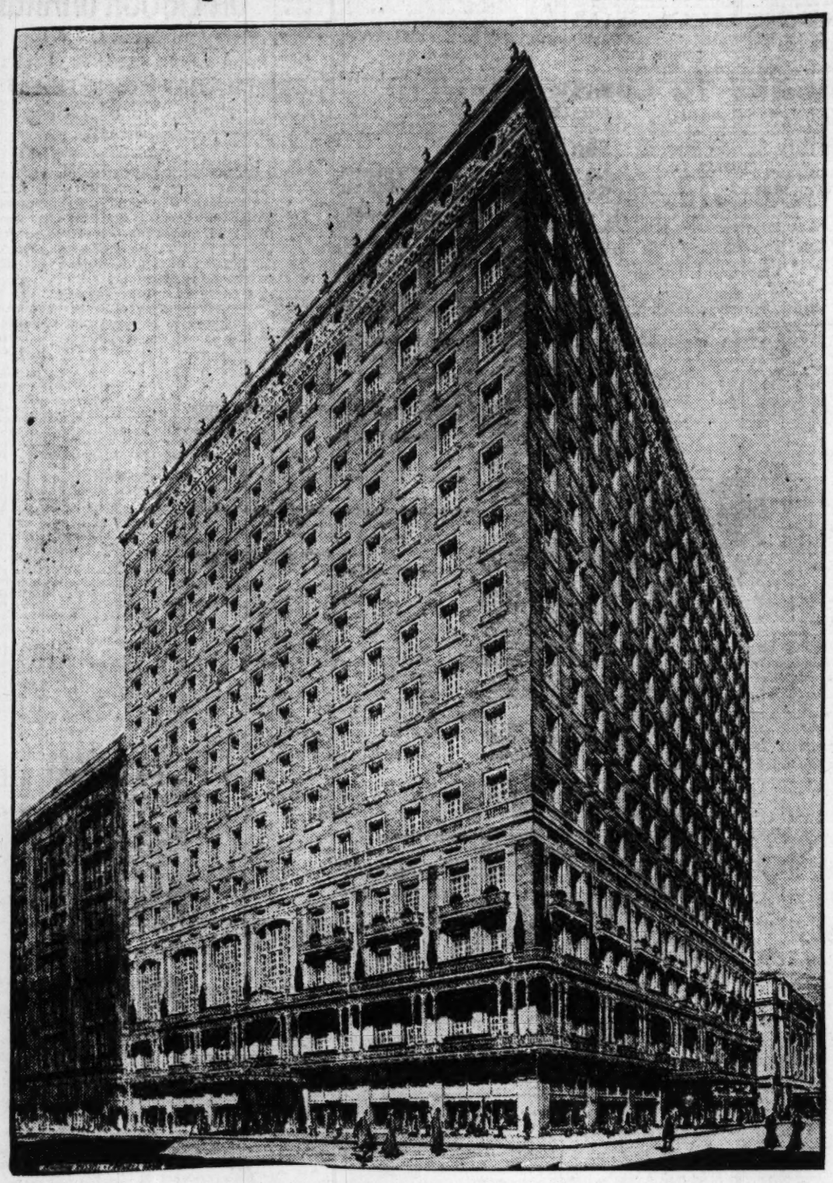
"In the basement, in addition to the refrigerating and other machinery, are lavatory and dining rooms for the employes; tailor, carpenter and repair shops, and the balance of the space is used for storage.

Roof Garden Planned.

"Among the conveniences contemplated is a roof garden enclosed in glass which may be used in the summer for the purpose of serving all meals, in which case it will have its own auxiliary kitchen. It is the intention to make this one of the strongest drawing cards of the hotel."

A large drawing of the building will be displayed during the week in one of the windows of the Lindell Store at Eighth street and Washington avenue.

Hotel Proposed for Washington Avenue



SITE PURCHASED FOR A BACHELOR APARTMENT HOUSE

Building Will Be Erected at Taylor and Washington—Cost to Be $80,000.

A site at the southwest corner of Taylor avenue and Washington boulevard has been purchased by clients of B. F. Addington for a bachelor apartment building to cost $80,000.

The building will be three stories high and will have a frontage on Washington of 100 feet by a depth on Taylor of 200 feet.

There will be 24 apartments on the second and third floors, each comprising one room, equipped with patent twin beds, bath and kitchenette. The finish throughout will be in hardwood.

Addington declined to disclose the price paid for the lot or the identity of the builder.

NEW COMMERCIAL BUILDING TO BE PUT UP IN WEST END

It Will Be Erected on Delmar Avenue West of De Baliviere.

A commercial building will be erected by a client of Isaac T. Cook on the north side of Delmar boulevard west of DeBaliviere avenue, and adjoining on the west the building of the Polar Wave Ice Co.

The deal, including the purchase of the site, 70x165 feet, was promoted by Grover W. Bell, manager of the sales department of the Cook agency.

An apartment building at 5785 Kingsbury place was sold by Bell to a client of the Cook agency. The price paid was not disclosed. Another sale by Cook agency, represented by Bell, was that of a lot 75x125 feet on the east side of Jones street to R. J. Carter. Flats, it is said, will be erected on the site.

Isaac T. Cook announces sales of two lots and an apartment building aggregating $25,000.

$40,000 TO BE SPENT FOR PACKING HOUSE ADDITION

Heil Company Plans Sanitary Slaughter Department at Missouri and La Salle.

Among the noteworthy building permits issued last week was one calling for the construction of a new "sanitary" slaughtering department for the Heil Packing Co., at Missouri avenue and La Salle streets. The building will be sanitary in every sense.

It will cover an area of 60 feet by 100 feet, two stories high, of reinforced concrete and brick; the entire killing room will be lined with enamel brick from floor to ceiling; the building, with its equipment, all of which has been purchased and is of the latest and most improved type, will call for an expenditure of $40,000.

The architects are Helfensteller, Hirsch & Watson, and the builder E. P. Shasserre.

Paper Company Leases Building.

The Missouri Paper Stock Co. has leased the four-story and basement building at 2207-09 Scott avenue, through the Martin-Breitt Co., representing the St. Louis Edible Nut Co. The building will be altered and equipped with the latest devices.

MORRIS AACH REALTY CO.

Morris Aach Realty Co. sold 5966 Horton place, a residence, on lot 35x147 feet, for William J. Shea and wife to Oliver J. Fritsch and Margaret A. Fritsch; also reports the sale of 2818 Salena street, a two-family flat of three and three rooms, for Isaac Epstein of Salem, Mo., to Horace E. Epstein.

13-STORY BUILDING TO BE ERECTED AT EIGHTH AND OLIVE

Cost of Structure Will Approximate $1,000,000 Exclusive of Site, Under Leases.

SOME STORES ARE LEASED

Upper Floors for Club and Shop Purposes; Bank and Trust Companies to Have Quarters.

Negotiations practically are completed for a 13-story building at the southwest corner of Eighth and Olive streets, to displace the three-story Wright cigar store structure, and the 10-story Holbrook-Blackwelder Real Estate Trust Co. building, 810-12 Olive street.

The cost of the structure, which will have a frontage on Olive street of 134 feet by a depth on Eighth street of 86 feet 6 inches, will approximate $1,000,000, aside from the site, to be taken under a 99-year lease.

The American Trust Co. and the Title Guaranty Trust Co. will occupy the second floor, but will not be financially interested in the enterprise. The upper floors will be rented for shops or for club purposes.

Club Quarters Proposed.

The Civic League, it is expected, will occupy two or three floors, while the City Club and the Business Men's League are mentioned as possible lessees of several floors.

The ground floor will be divided into stores and quarters for the Night and Day Bank, now in the Holbrook-Blackwelder building. Contracts for leases of several of the stores have been closed. The Holbrook-Blackwelder building, before its reconstruction about 12 years ago, was known as the Fagin building.

W. J. Holbrook, president of the Holbrook-Blackwelder company, is conducting the building deal on behalf of the Jane Investment Co., presumably controlled by W. K. Bixby and W. H. Mallinckrodt. The investment company owns the ground occupied by the Holbrook-Blackwelder building, which is appraised at $12,000 to $15,000 a front foot. The three-story building on the corner, is held by Thomas Wright, vice president of the Third National Bank. This land is valued at from $20,000 to $25,000 a front foot.

The American Trust Co. is at Broadway and Locust, while the Title Guaranty Trust Co. occupies part of the ground floor of the Title Guaranty Trust building, at Seventh and Chestnut.

The City Club has quarters in the Board of Education building at Ninth and Locust, and the Business Men's League in the Mercantile Library building at Broadway and Locust.

Site for $100,000 Building.

As a site for a building to cost $100,000, the John I. Milliken Manufacturing Co. has purchased the northwest corner of Third and Cedar streets for $56,750. The building, of steel and concrete construction, will be completed in six months.

The lot has a frontage on Cedar street of 151 feet by a depth on Third street of 146 feet. The former owner and seller was Adolph Braw Jr.

TWO-STORY BRICK STORES AND FLATS ARE SOLD

Annual Rental of Property Disposed of by McMenamy With Leahy Is $3420.

The John McMenamy Real Estate Co., with David P. Leahy, disposed of the two-story brick stores and flats at the southeast corner of Page and Walton avenues, owned by W. J. Stedlin, to F. C. Pauley. There are five stores and five flats, the lot having a frontage of 107 feet on Page avenue. The annual rental of the property is $3420.

Four three-story dwellings of eight rooms each occupying a site 78x100 feet at the northeast corner of Compton and Morgan streets, were sold by McMenamy & Leahy, to John Horan, the seller being F. C. Pauley. The annual rental of this property is $1440.

ELECTRIC COMPANY TO MOVE

Present Quarters Are Inadequate for Requirements of Concern.

The Killark Electric Co. has subleased quarters in the six-story building at the northwest corner of Washington avenue and Twenty-third street. The property is controlled through a lease by the Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney Co. and owned by Marlin Shaughnessy.

The building contains 20,000 square feet and is equipped with a steam heating plant, automatic sprinklers and electric elevators.

The company's present building at 2707 Locust street is inadequate for its requirements. The Mercantile Trust Co. effected the lease.

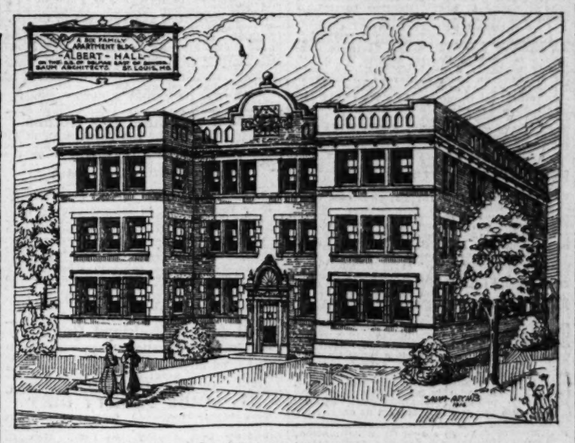
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Papin With Foley Bros.

Emile S. Papin, one of the most aggressive members of the realty fraternity, has associated himself with the Foley Bros. Investment Co., with offices in the Wainwright Building, Seventh and Chestnut streets. A salesman for a number of leading concerns, Papin has been identified with large transactions.

Six-Family Apartment Building to Be Erected on Delmar Blvd.



PLANS have been completed by the Saum Architects for a six-family apartment building to be erected on the south side of Delmar boulevard, 400 feet east of Skinker road, for Rudolph L. and M. M. Wise.

The floor plan is for an open, airy and homelike effect. The exterior will be in the Tudor Gothic style, and will be constructed exclusively of brick, stone and terra cotta.

The building will occupy a site 60x115 feet.

LARGE APARTMENT BUILDING PLANNED FOR BERLIN AVENUE

Four Rooms, Sun Parlor and Garages Are Among the Features for Six Families.

The Elroy Realty Co. has purchased a site on the north side of Berlin avenue, 50 feet east of Laurel avenue, for a six-family apartment building, to cost $25,000.

Each apartment will have four rooms, reception hall, a sun parlor and sleeping porch, and there will be garages in the rear of the premises for the use of the tenants.

The building will be ready for occupancy by June 1.

The sale of the lot and the building project was promoted by the Dyas Realty Co., in conjunction with Cornet & Zelbig, represented by Ernest Edwards.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS' REPORTS OF THEIR SALES

FRANK L. DITTMEIER R. E. CO. reports the sale of 2628-30-32-34 Howard avenue, a 2-story brick building arranged as double flat, for C. T. Weller to Miss Rose Jarron for $5500.

Also 3930-32-34-36-38 Page boulevard and 1219-21-23 Jones street, two-story brick buildings, lot 100 feet on Page boulevard by 162.6 feet on Jones street; sold for the Reserve Realty Co. to F. K. and Mrs. C. D. Wallace. The purchasers gave as part pay a 200-acre farm in St. Genevieve County, Mo., near Festus. The sale and exchange agregated an investment of $50,000. The Dittmeier Company will have charge of the management of the Page boulevard property same as before, which has been listed but two months with the company.

Also report the sale of 2329 Beacon avenue, a 1-story brick cottage, lot 25x125 feet, for P. T. Henry and wife to Mrs. C. Harris for $1600.

A $50,000 deal was closed when Christian Hesser sold the apartment house at 4418 Forest Park boulevard to Joseph Portuscheck, who gave in part payment three flats in Southwest St. Louis. The apartment house occupies a lot 50x150 feet. One of the flats is 2707 Accomac street, lot 30x125 feet; another is the double brick 3429-31 Juniata street, lot 50x125 feet, and the single flat, 4006 Castleman avenue, one lot 40x150 feet. George J. Filehman represented the Dittmeier Company and the Anderson-Stockeduermann Realty Co participated in the deal.

Also reports the sale of 120 acres of land in Plattin, on Bonne Terre railroad, most of it being clear, about 12 miles from Festus, Mo. This property was sold for L. W. Muren to a client of Louis Bosso, who paid $4000.

Also reports loans for the past week aggregating $13,250.

MERCANTILE TRUST CO.

The Mercantile Trust Co. reports the following sales during the past 10 days:

4351 Lindell boulevard, a three-story 12-room brick; lot 60x213 feet. William L. Scharff to B. A. Brennan.

Also 210 feet of ground on the south side of Delmar boulevard, between Rosedale avenue and Skinker road, for Mrs. Hofman to Joseph P. Kelly.

Also 2015 Olive street, a two-story eight-room brick residence on lot 25x109 feet, for a client to the Burdeau Real Estate Co.

Also sold for Mrs. E. M. Robinson to a client of the Mercantile Trust Co., 2115 Lawton avenue, a two-story brick on lot 20x107 feet.

Also 4130 Ashland avenue, a two-story building, lot 25x140 feet, for Lami Realty Co. to a client of the Mercantile Trust Co.

Also 3114 Hickory street, a two-story brick flat on lot 25x140 feet, for Mrs. Della Hederman to a client of the trust company.

Also sold for F. S. Garlick, 4050 McCaffery place to a client of the trust company. Garlick was represented in this transaction by E. M. Thornhill.

Also vacant lot on the southwest corner of College and Carter avenue, 75x117 feet, for a client of the Mercantile Trust Co. to Sam Kopiar. The purchaser was represented by Rosenbaum-Hauschulte Real Estate Co.

Also sold 75 feet on north side of Locust street by 135 feet, for Mrs. Mary Anderson's estate to the Bredonia Realty Co.

ARCHSHOEFER & GLIK R. E. CO.

Sold a lot situated on the south line of Shaw avenue, 24 feet west of Klemm, with a front of 26 feet by a depth of 124 feet. The purchaser, Harvey L. Fortner, will let a contract in a few days for the erection of a modern two-story brick store and flat building. The store will be used as a bakery and confectionery. The building will cost approximately $6,500.

Sold 5884-84A Garfield avenue, a modern four and five room flat, containing furnaces, combination fixtures, tile bath, etc., situated on a lot 25x123.6. It was sold for the account of Fred Allison, who accepted as part pay 5052 Cass avenue, a two-story brick dwelling containing six rooms and bath on lot 25x130 feet. Allison will occupy the Cass avenue dwelling as a home. The total considerations in the deal were $7600.

DOUGHERTY REAL ESTATE CO.

Sold 956 Catalpa street, a three-story brick apartment building, each apartment of six rooms, with tile bath, hardwood floors and steam heat; to Wallace W. Steward.

Sold 6102 Westminster place, a two-and-a-half-story tile-roof brick dwelling, with tile bath, hardwood floors, hot-water heat; to Walter J. Sheahan and wife.

Sold 1376 Shawmut place, five and six room brick flat building, tile baths, separate furnaces; garage in rear; for Jacob Rubin to Bryan J. Doherty and wife.

LARGE ADDITION TO BE BUILT AT CITY HOSPITAL

Contract Let for Two-Story Structure to Cost $50,000—Will Be Ready for Occupancy by Fall.

Contract has been let by the Board of Public Service for the erection of a two-story addition to the City Hospital, to cost $50,000. The building will be ready for occupancy by the fall.

The addition will be of brick and stone construction, and will be used for the accommodation of the nurses.

NORTH PARKVIEW ADDITION SALES MAY END MAY 1

Agent Harris Almost Bewildered by Inquiries for Lots From Prospective Builders.

Notwithstanding the cold weather, John S. Harris has been almost bewildered by inquiries from prospective buyers of lots and of houses in North Parkview addition.

Negotiations, it is reported, have been virtually closed for two sites in the addition for large apartment structures. Eight apartment buildings have been started there since Feb. 1, the largest by Victor Rhodes at the corner of Von Versen and East Gate avenues.

Harris has been instructed by the Delmar Investment Co., owner of the land, to dispose of every remaining lot in the addition by May 1, and in order to facilitate the sale he has opened headquarters on the ground floor of the Central National Bank Building, at Seventh and Olive streets. This property was originally presented by Harris three years ago, when sales of lots aggregating $250,000 were made.

GEORGE B. GANNETT BUYS RESIDENCE ... ...ES PLACE

House at 6822 Waterman is 2½-Story Red Brick With Stone Trimmings.

The George F. Bergfeld Realty Co. has sold one of its new Ames place homes to George B. Gannett of George D. Barnard & Co.

This house, at 6822 Waterman avenue, is two and one-half stories and red brick, having tile roof, stone trimmings, granite steps and copper gutters and downspouts. It is built with the entrance on the side and large side porch. The living room has large windows in front, art glass windows at both ends of the room, with a large open fireplace and built-in bookcases. The first and second floors are finished in white enamel, with mahogany doors and window sills.

The second floor contains four large bedrooms, large tile bath room, with built-in tub, tile wainscoting and floor and large linen closet. There is also a large enclosed sleeping porch in the rear.

Gannett expects to take possession of the home about April 1.

The Bergfeld Co. also reports the sale of 4016 Arsenal street to William P. Rowan for Thomas Burns.

EDWARD L. BAKEWELL LEASES STORE IN FULLERTON BUILDING

New Quarters Made Necessary by His Increase in Business—Will Remove Shortly.

Edward L. Bakewell announces that he has leased the store on the ground floor of the Fullerton building at 118 North Seventh street. He will move into the new quarters just as soon as the alterations and repairs are made. This move is due to the increase of business.

The new office will be one of the best furnished and equipped offices in the city. The furniture will be of mahogany. The office will be illuminated by the indirect electric lights with ornamental fixtures. It will be decorated with a French ivory-gray throughout.

RECORD PRICE PAID FOR LOT ON RED BUD AVENUE

Property Between Rosalie and Carter Avenues Brings $45 a Foot.

The Savings Trust Co. reports the sale of a 20-foot lot on Red Bud avenue, between Rosalie and Carter, for $45 a foot, for William Wulfers to E. C. Buchmueller, who will improve with a six and seven room flat.

The price paid was a record for this block.

HIGHER MATERIALS CAUSE A HALT IN BUILDING PROJECTS

Apartments and Flats Especially Affected by Recent Abnormal Advance in Quotations.

IRON RISES 50 PER CENT

Lumber, Pressed Brick, Plumbing and Glass Also Up—Big Improvement Plans Abandoned.

As a result of the abnormal advance in the prices of building material, plans for many large buildings, especially for apartments and flats, have been halted.

The price of iron has increased approximately 50 per cent during the last 30 days, according to Bullock Bros., while lumber, they estimate, has advanced 25 per cent, hydraulic pressed brick, $1.50 per 1000; glass, 30 per cent, and plumbing, 25 per cent.

Construction of 20 apartment buildings in Shaw's Lafayette Addition has been abandoned owing to the rise in the prices of the various materials, while many projects for other parts of the city have been placed in abeyance, according to real estate men.

A general curtailment in building operations is anticipated.

The increase is due, it is believed, to the larger exports of iron, lumber, copper and other commodities to Europe, incident to the war.

The demand for modern buildings or those of recent construction, will accordingly, it is declared, be greatly stimulated, and higher prices, as a result, will prevail. The demand for apartments, according to the Oreon E. and R. G. Scott Real Estate Co., is without recent precedent, the indication being that soon the supply in the West End will have been absorbed.

Out of 12 buildings with 136 apartments in the district between Union and Hamilton avenue the Scott company reports only one vacancy.

GEORGIAN COURT APARTMENTS BEING LEASED FROM PLANS

Construction Is Progressing on Them and Also on Building in Westminster Place.

The F. J. Cornwell Real Estate Co. reports that it is making progress on the construction of the new Georgian Court Apartment, on the south side of Kingsbury boulevard, between De Baliviere and Clara avenues.

This building will be an apartment hotel, containing suites of two and three rooms, each apartment having a very large living room, kitchen, dressing room, with Murphy In-a-door bed, bathroom and a separate balcony. The equipment will be complete, consisting of refrigerator, gas range, hardwood floors throughout, shades, screens, awnings, etc. The Cornwell firm has received a great number of inquiries and closed many leases on these apartments.

The company also reports the completion of the Coronado Apartment, in North Parkview, corner of Von Versen and Interdrive. The buildings were completely leased before completion.

The Cornwell company is building three apartments on the south side of Westminster place, west of De Baliviere. Each building has six apartments, each apartment containing five rooms, sun parlor and sleeping porch, equipped with In-a-door bed. The construction and plans are similar in detail to the Coronado Apartment.

Work upon two new apartments in North Parkside has started during the last week. One is to be a six-family building upon the east side of Eastgate avenue and the other a 12-family building on the corner of Von Versen and Limit avenues. A business building on the northwest corner of Delmar and Eastgate avenues is also in course of construction. The North Parkview headquarters at 107 Olive street are now open from 7 a. m. until after 8 p. m.

WASHI...N AVENUE FLORAL FIRM LEASES ADJOINING STORE

Grimm & Gorly Co. Show Evidence of Noteworthy Growth During Period of Seven Years.

The Grimm & Gorly Floral Co., located at 706 Washington avenue for the past seven years, have found it necessary to enlarge their location and have leased the adjoining store on the east for a long term of years. The additional space will give them the largest floral shop in the city. Besides occupying more than 50 feet frontage on Washington avenue, they have two of the floors immediately above the store.

From a small store on Cass avenue, where the firm began business in a very small way, it now conducts one of the largest groups of greenhouses, besides the main store in St. Louis and a branch house in East St. Louis.

The lease was made by the Martin-Breitt Real Estate Co. for the account of the Missouri Valley Realty Co.

Goes East With Body of His Mother.

James E. Fogg of the realty firm of Hoyle & Fogg, went to Rome, N. Y., Friday, with the body of his mother, Mrs. Josephine Fogg, who died Wednesday at her home, 3564 Westminster place. She was 80 years old and widow of the late Josiah Fogg, once president of the St. Louis & Keokuk Railway, who was associated with James B. Eads in the building of the Eads Bridge. Miss Mary L. Fogg, a daughter, also lives in St. Louis.

SAMBUR INVESTMENT CO.

The Sambur Investment Co. sold to Lee G. Egan, the four-family flat, 4367-69 A-69-69A Cook avenue; lot 25x150 feet. The purchaser was represented by James J. Egan.

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FRANCE'S NATIONAL APPEAL FOR WAR FUNDS

THIS is a reprint of a poster that was lately scattered broadcast throughout France. Its caption, freely translated, reads, "Loan for the National Defense." Beneath the picture of a soldier waving his adieux to his wife and children are the words: "Do not forget to subscribe—for victory—and for the return!" The legend at the bottom says, "published under the auspices of the National Federation of the French Benefit Society, which appeals to all the workers, all far-sighted persons, all patriots for the liberation of our territory and for final victory."

Reintroducing an Old Friend —the Big Sleeve



BACK to the leg-of-mutton sleeve! Back to the roomy, puffy sleeve! Back to the sleeve with ruffles and frills! Once more fashion in its revolutions reverts to the accepted forms of yesteryear. There's that black Paquin creation at the bottom of the photographs on this page. Isn't there something about it strongly reminiscent of a couple of decades ago? The same roomy skirt, albeit much shorter, the blouse effect of the waist and, particularly, the sleeves, puffing out in balloons below the shoulders and narrowing to gauntlets at the wrist. This costume is composed of terra cotta silk with a shirred band on the edge of the overskirt, with new point at the elbow and a bodice of taffeta and chiffon, embroidered in blue and terra cotta. The upper picture is of a costume of white and light green striped silk with a lattice effect on the overskirt border and painted flowers printed in the center of the lattice squares. There are rows of valenciennes lace on a net skirt which shows where the overskirt is looped. The sleeves are of a quaint, ruffle effect. The third costume is an outing frock of knitted Jersey silk in blue and white. The hat is of georgette crepe.





Savory Whiffs of Fact for Every Smoker

Social history of tobacco shows pipe was once the fashionable rage, but "divine weed" fell into disfavor until revived recently by cigar and cigarette—Anecdotes of famous persons and their adventures with Lady Nicotine :: :: ::

MANY are the dreams which wooers of Lady Nicotine have seen floating in the genial vapor which curls upwards from their pipes and cigars; but none of them could have more fascination than the quaint and curious lore upon the subject of the divine weed which has been compiled by an English writer, G. L. Apperson, and published under the inviting title of "The Social History of Smoking."

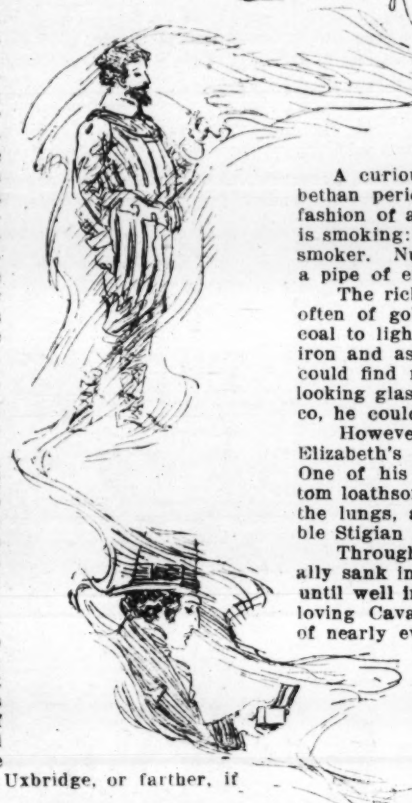
Everyone knows that tobacco was one of the gifts of the New World to the Old, and that Sir Walter Raleigh made smoking fashionable in England in the days of Queen Elizabeth. For the next 50 years the smoking of pipes not only became general among all classes, but a thing of highest fashion, held in the light of an art. In those days it was not said that a man smoked tobacco, but that he "drank" or "sucked" tobacco; and the smoker was called a "tobacconist." The gallant of those days had no hesitation about smoking in the presence of women, and a character in Chapman's play, "All Fools," praises himself as different from others:

"And for discourse in my fair mistress's presence
I did not, as your barren gallants do,
Fill my discourses up drinking tobacco."



One of the strangest things about Shakspeare's works, says the author, is the fact that nowhere does he mention the word tobacco. The conclusion is drawn that Shakspeare did not smoke. His contemporaries, Spencer and Ben Jonson are different. Spencer invoked the plant as "Soveraigne weede, divine Tobacco," and from Jonson's comedies can be gathered a perfect compendium of "tobacco drinking" as one of the most important social phenomena of the age. He reveals that a singular feature of the enthusiasm for tobacco in the early years of the seventeenth century was the existence of "professors of the art" of smoking.

The tobacco sellers were mostly apothecaries and some of these took pupils and taught them the "slights," as tricks with the pipe were called. These included inhaling, and sending out the smoke in globes, rings, and so forth. Shift, a professor of the art in Jonson's "Every Man Out of His Humor," puts up a bill in St. Paul's in which he offers to teach any young gentleman newly come into his inheritance "to entertain the most gentlemanlike use of tobacco; as first, to give it the most exquisite perfume; then to know all the delicate sweet forms for the assumption of it; as also the rare corollary and practice of the Cuban ebolition, euripus and whiff, which he shall receive, or take in here at London and evaporate at Uxbridge, or farther, if it plaese him."



Taking the whiff, says the author, may have been either a swallowing of the smoke, or a retaining it in the throat for a given space of time; but what he meant by "Cuban ebolition" or "curious" is perhaps best left to the imagination.

If one contemporary writer may be believed, some of these early instructors in smoking professed to be able to teach the secret of emitting smoke not only from the nose but from the ears; but a healthy skepticism is permitted here.



There is a tradition that Queen Elizabeth herself once smoked—with unpleasant results. Campbell, in his "History of Virginia," says that Raleigh having offered her majesty some tobacco to smoke, "after two or three whiffs she was seized with nausea, upon observing which some of the Earl of Leicester's faction whispered that Sir Walter had certainly poisoned her. But her majesty, in a short while recovering, made the Countess of Nottingham and all her maids smoke a whole pipe out among them." The Queen evidently had no desire to monopolize the novel sensation caused by smoking. An old writer, in a "Life of Raleigh," says that tobacco "soon became of such vogue in Queen Elizabeth's court that some of the great ladies, as well as noblemen therein would not scruple sometimes to take a pipe very sociably."



Many royal ladies of our time have had the reputation of being confirmed smokers, says Apperson. Among them may be mentioned Carmen Sylva, Dowager Queen of Rumania, the Dowager Tzarina of Russia, the late Empress Elizabeth of Austria, King Alphonso's mother, formerly Queen Regent of Spain; the Dowager Queen Margherita of Italy, and former Queen Amelia of Portugal. It is, of course, well known that Austrian and Russian ladies generally are fond of cigarette smoking. On Russian railways it is not unusual to find a compartment labeled: "For ladies who do not smoke."

Queen Victoria, who detested tobacco and banished it from her abodes as far as she could, once received a present of pipes and tobacco. She had sent to the King of Dahomey a basket tent, a silver pipe and two silver trays. That dusky old reprobate replied that he hoped the next gifts would include a carriage and pair and a white woman, both of which he would appreciate very much; but sent in return some native pipes and tobacco for the Queen to smoke.

A curious feature of tobacco manners among fashionable smokers of the Elizabethan period was the practice of passing the pipe from one to another, after the fashion of a loving cut. In a play of 1614, one London gallant says to another who is smoking: "Please you to impart your smoke?" "Very willingly, sir," says the smoker. Number two takes a whiff or so and courteously says: "In good faith, a pipe of excellent vapor!"

The rich young swell carried about with him an elaborate tobacco apparatus, often of gold or silver. It included a tobacco box, tongs with which to lift a live coal to light his pipe, a ladle "for the cold snuffle into the "nosthrill," a priming iron and as large a collection of pipes as his means could afford and his pockets could find room for. Sometimes the tobacco box was of ivory, and occasionally a looking glass was set in the lid, so that when the beau opened it to take out tobacco, he could also have a view of his delectable person.

However, tobacco had many enemies, and of these the most influential was Queen Elizabeth's successor, James I, author of the famous "Counterblaste to Tobacco." One of his most restrained denunciations of "tobacco drinking" was this: "A custom loathsome to the eye, hateful to the nose, harmful to the braine, dangerous to the lungs, and in the blacke stinking fume thereof, nearest resembling the horrible Stigian smoke of the pit that is bottomlesse."

Through the royal example of James and of his son, Charles I, smoking gradually sank into a decline, in so far as it was a fashionable practice, which continued until well into the last century. Thence arose the curious fact that the pleasure-loving Cavaliers were not smokers, while the Puritans, sour as was their hatred of nearly every joy, were mighty "drinkers of the weed." The finds of pipes on the sites of the camps of the Parliamentary armies have been numerous. It is not known whether Cromwell smoked; but Milton smoked a pipe at 9 p. m. every day before retiring. However, in some cases the Puritans contrived to introduce their religion even into pipe-smoking, for an old chronicler tells of a Presbyterian minister so precise that "he would not so much as take a pipe of tobacco before that he had first sayed grace over it."

But the Puritan colonists in New England were more strict. The famous Connecticut "Blue Laws" forbade anyone under the age of 21 to smoke, and no one of any age could smoke without a license from the Court and a physician's certificate that tobacco would be useful for him.

Under the Restoration smoking became unfashionable, the pipe being ousted from the stylish world by the snuff box, although it still continued universally popular among humbler folk. Smoking was reign of Queen Victoria. When the Prince Regent regarded as "low" or provincial until well into the died in 1830 he left not a cellar of wine but a "cellar of snuff," which was sold to a tobacconist for $20,000. Lord Petersham, famous among dandies, made a wonderful collection of snuffs and snuff boxes, and was fastidious in his choice of a box to carry. Once when a light Sevres snuff-box which Lord Petersham was using, was admired, the noble owner replied, with a gentle lisp: "Yes, it is a nice summer box—but would certainly be inappropriate for winter wear."

The revival of smoking in the fashionable world, where tobacco had so long been in bad odor except in the form of snuff, was due to the introduction of the cigar, imported into England from Spain and the Spanish colonies. British officers possibly brought the cigar back with them from the Peninsular Wars. Only a few of the daring persons ventured to adopt the cigar at first, and between 1824 and 1830 there was only a wretched smoking room at the Athenaeum Club in London, Dr. Hawtree, on behalf of the house committee, announcing that "no gentleman smokes." To add further odious touch to his hideous dwarf, Quilip, Dickens made him a cigar smoker; Lord Rawdom Crawley, in "Vantiy Fair," was significantly a smoker of cigars.

However, in the Bohemian set, including authors and poets, smoking was common. Carlyle was a great smoker, and the story is familiar that one evening he and Tennyson sat for hours in solemn silence smoking their pipes, one on each side of the fire-place; and that, as the visitor arose to go, Carlyle, bidding him good-night, said: "Man, Alfred, we hae had a graund nicht; come again soon." In the course of a trip to Italy with friends, Tennyson found he could not obtain his favorite brand of tobacco, packed up his portmanteau and returned home, breaking up the party. Charles Lamb remarked that he hoped his last breath would be inhaled through a pipe and exhaled in a pun.

The cigar was aided in reviving the habit by the introduction of the first wooden pipes in England in 1859, and the first cigarettes in about 1860. These seem astonishingly recent dates, but the author vouches for both. The word "briar" has no connection with the prickly thorny briar of England, but is derived from the French term, "bruyere," meaning the white heath plant from the roots of which the pipes are made.

Laurence Oliphant, a man both of letters and fashion, is generally credited with having first introduced cigarettes into English society. They became fashionable in about 1870, and had a revolutionary effect on smoking among women. Those of the lower classes had frequently been pipe smokers, but in society the ldies, perhaps for physical reasons, never took up either pipe or cigar to any extent. The cigarette offered them a milder and more delicate means of sharing man's delight in the weed.

In the twentieth century, the author says: "Tobacco is once more triumphant. The cycle of 300 years is complete. Since the early decades of the seventeenth century, smoking has never been so smiled upon by fashion as it is at the present time."

The Teeth of the Tiger

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meet you at 9 o'clock this evening on the Boulevard Suchet."

Perenna did not see Mlle. Levasseur again that day. He went out in the course of the afternoon, and called at the registry office, where he chose some servants—a chauffeur, a coachman, a footman, a cook, and so on. Then he went to a photographer, who made a new copy of Mlle. Levasseur's photograph. Don Luis had this touched up and faked it himself, so that the Prefect of Police should not perceive the substitution of one set of features for another.

He dined at a restaurant and, at 9 o'clock, joined Mazeroux on the Boulevard Suchet.

Since the Fauville murders the house had been left in the charge of the porter. All the rooms and all the locks had been sealed up, except the inner door of the workroom, of which the police kept the keys for the purpose of inquiry.

The big study looked as it did before, though the papers had been removed and put away and there were no books and pamphlets left on the writing table. A layer of dust, clearly visible by the electric light, covered its black leather and the surrounding mahogany.

"Well, Alexandre, old man," cried Don Luis, when they had made themselves comfortable, "what do you say to this? It's rather impressive, being here again, what? But, this time, no barricading of doors, no bolts, eh? If anything's going to happen, on this night of the fifteenth of April, we'll put nothing in our friends' way. They shall have full and entire liberty. It's up to them, this time."

Though joking, Don Luis was nevertheless singularly impressed, as he himself said, by the terrible recollection of the two crimes which he had been unable to prevent and by the haunting vision of the two dead bodies. And he also remembered with real emotion the implacable duel which he had fought with Mme. Fauville, the woman's despair and her arrest.

"Tell me about her," he said to Mazeroux. "So she tried to kill herself?"

"Yes," said Mazeroux, "a thoroughgoing attempt. She hanged herself in strips of linen torn from her sheets and underclothing and twisted together. She had to be restored by artificial respiration. She is out of danger now, I believe, but she is never left alone, for she swore she would do it again."

"She has made no confession?"

"No. She persists in proclaiming her innocence."

"And what do they think at the public prosecutor's? At the Prefect's?"

"Why should they change their opinion, Chief? The inquiries confirm every one of the charges brought against her; and, in particular, it has been proved beyond the possibility of a dispute that she alone can have touched the apple and that she can have touched it only between 11 o'clock at night and 7 o'clock in the morning."

They went on talking for some time in a low voice, studying the question in all its bearings.

At midnight they switched off the electric light in the chandelier and arranged that each should go to sleep in turn.

And the hours went by as they had done when the two sat up before, with the same sounds of belated carriages and motor cars; the same railway whistles; the same silence.

The night passed without alarm or incident of any kind. At daybreak the life out of doors was resumed; and Don Luis, during his waking hours, had not heard a sound in the room except the monotonous snoring of his companion.

At 7 o'clock he called out:

"Alexandre!"

"Eh? What is it, Chief?"

"You're not dead?"

"What's that? Dead? No, Chief, why should I be?"

They waited an hour longer. Then Perenna opened a window and threw back the shutter.

"I say, Alexandre, perhaps you're not dead, but you're certainly very green."

Mazeroux gave a wry laugh:

"Upon my word, Chief, I confess that I had a bad time of it when I was keeping watch while you were asleep."

"Were you afraid?"

"To the roots of my hair. I kept on thinking that something was going to happen. But you, too, Chief, don't look as if you had been enjoying yourself. Were you also"——

He interrupted himself, on seeing an expression of unbounded astonishment on Don Luis' face.

"What's the matter, Chief?"

"Look! * * * on the table! * * * that letter"——

He looked. There was a letter on the writing table, or, rather, a letter-card, the edges of which had been torn along the perforation marks; and they saw the outside of it, with the address, the stamp and the postmarks.

Don Luis took the letter-card and, on examining it, found that the address and the postmarks had been scratched out so as to make it impossible to read the name of the addressee or where he lived, but that the place of posting was quite clear, as was the date: Paris, 4 January, 19—.

"So the letter is three and a half months old," said Don Luis.

He turned to the inside of the letter. It contained a dozen lines and he at once exclaimed:

"Hippolyte Fauville's signature!"

"And his handwriting," observed Mazeroux. "I can tell it at a glance. There's no mistake about that. What does it all mean? A letter written by Hippolyte Fauville three months before his death?"

Perenna read aloud:

"My Dear Old Friend:

"I can only, alas, confirm what I wrote to you the other day; the plot is thickening around me! I do not yet know what their plan is and still less how they mean to put it into execution; but everything warns me that the end is at hand. I can see it in her eyes. How strangely she looks at me sometimes!

"Oh, the shame of it! Who would ever have thought her capable of it?

"I am a very unhappy man, my dear friend."

"And it's signed Hippolyte Fauville," Mazeroux continued, "and I declare to you that it's actually in his hand * * * written on the fourth of January of this year to a friend whose name we don't know, though we shall dig him out somehow, that I'll swear. And this friend will certainly give us the proofs we want."

Mazeroux was becoming excited.

"Proofs? Why, we don't need them! They're here. M. Fauville himself supplies them: 'The end is at hand I can see it in her eyes.' 'Her' refers to his wife, to Marie Fauville, and the husband's evidence confirms all that we knew against her. What do you say, Chief?"

"You're right," replied Perenna, absent-mindedly, "you're right; the letter is final. Only"——

"Only what?"

"Who the devil can have brought it? Somebody must have entered the room last night while we were here. Is it possible? For, after all, we should have heard. That's what astounds me."

"It certainly looks like it."

"Just so. It was a queer enough job a fortnight ago. But, still, we were in the passage outside, while they were at work in here, whereas, this time, we were here, both of us, close to this very table. And, on this table, which had not the least scrap of paper on it last night, we find this letter in the morning."

A careful inspection of the place gave them no clew to put them on the track. They went through the house from top to bottom and ascertained for certain that there was no one there in hiding. Besides, supposing that anyone was hiding there, how could he have made his way into the room without attracting their attention? There was no solving the problem.

"We won't look any more," said Perenna, "it's no use. In matters of this sort, some day or other the light enters by an unseen cranny and everything gradually becomes clear. Take the letter to the Prefect of Police, tell him how we spent the night, and ask his permission for both of us to come back on the night of the twenty-fifth of April. There's to be another surprise that night; and I'm dying to know if we shall receive a second letter through the agency of some Mahatma."

They closed the doors and left the house.

While they were walking to the right, toward La Muette, in order to take a taxi, Don Luis chanced to turn his head to the road as they reached the end of the Boulevard Suchet. A man rode past them on a bicycle. Don Luis just had time to see his clean-shaven face and his glittering eyes fixed upon himself.

"Look out!" he shouted, pushing Mazeroux so suddenly that the sergeant lost his balance.

The man had stretched out his hand, armed with a revolver. A shot rang out. The bullet whistled past the ears of Don Luis, who had bobbed his head.

"After him!" he roared. "You're not hurt, Mazeroux?"

"No, Chief."

They both rushed in pursuit, shouting for assistance. But, at that early hour, there are never many people in the wide avenue of this part of the town. The man, who was making off swiftly, increased his distance, turned down the Rue Octave-Feuillet, and disappeared.

"All right, you scoundrel, I'll catch you yet!" snarled Don Luis, abandoning a vain pursuit.

"But you don't even know who he is, Chief."

"Yes, I do; it's he."

"Who?"

"The man with the ebony stick. He's cut off his beard and shaved his face, but I know him for all that. It was the man who was taking pot-shots at us yesterday morning, from the top of his stairs on the Boulevard Richard-Wallace, the one who killed Inspector Ancenis. The blackguard! How did he know that I had spent the night at Fauville's? Have I been followed then and spied on? But by whom? And why? And how?"

Mazeroux reflected and said:

"Remember, Chief, you telephoned to me in the afternoon to give me an appointment. For all you know, in spite of lowering your voice, you may have been heard by somebody at your place."

Don Luis did not answer. He thought of Florence.

That morning Don Luis' letters were not brought to him by Mlle. Levasseur, nor did he send for her. He caught sight of her several times giving orders to the new servants. She must afterward have gone back to her room, for he did not see her again.

In the afternoon he rang for his car and drove to the house on the Boulevard Suchet, to pursue with Mazeroux, by the Prefect's instructions, a search that led to no result whatever.

It was 10 o'clock when he came in. The detective sergeant and he had some dinner together. Afterward, wishing also to examine the home of the man with the ebony stick, he got into his car again, still accompanied by Mazeroux, and told the man to drive to the Boulevard Richard-Wallace.

The car crossed the Seine and followed the right bank.

"Faster," he said to his new chauffeur, through the speaking tube. "I'm accustomed to go at a good pace."

"You'll have an upset one fine day, Chief," said Mazeroux.

"No fear," replied Don Luis. "Motor accidents are reserved for fools."

They reached the Place de l'Alma. The car turned to the left.

"Straight ahead!" cried Don Luis. "Go up by the Trocadero."

The car veered back again. But suddenly it gave three or four lurches in the road, took the pavement, ran into a tree and fell over on its side.

In a few seconds a dozen people were standing round. They broke one of the windows and opened the door. Don Luis was the first.

"It's nothing," he said. "I'm all right. And you, Alexandre?"

They helped the sergeant out. He had a few bruises and a little pain, but no serious injury.

Only the chauffeur had been thrown from his seat and lay motionless on the pavement, bleeding from the head. He was carried into a chemist's shop and died in 10 minutes.

Mazeroux had gone in with the poor victim and, feeling pretty well stunned, had himself been given a pick-me-up. When he went back to the motor car he found two policemen entering particulars of the accident in their notebooks and taking evidence from the bystanders; but the chief was not there.

Perenna, in fact, had jumped into a taxicab and driven home as fast as he could. He got out in the square, ran through the gateway, crossed the courtyard, and went down the passage that led to Mlle. Levasseur's quarters. He leaped up the steps, knocked, and entered without waiting for an answer.

The door of the room that served as a sitting room was opened and Florence appeared. He pushed her back into the room, and said, in a tone furious with indignation:

"It's done. The accident has occurred. And yet none of the old servants can have prepared it, because they were not there and because I was out with the car this afternoon. Therefore, it must have been late in the day, between 6 and 9 o'clock, that somebody went to the garage and filed the steering rod three-quarters through."

"I don't understand. I don't understand," she said, with a scared look.

"You understand perfectly well that the accomplice of the ruffians cannot be one of the new servants, and you understand perfectly well that the job was bound to succeed and that it did succeed, beyond their hopes. There is a victim, who suffers instead of myself."

"But tell me what has happened, Monsieur! You frighten me! What accident? What was it?"

"The motor car was overturned. The chauffeur is dead."

"Oh," she said, "how horrible! And you think that I can have—— Oh, dead, how horrible! Poor man!"

Her voice grew fainter. She was standing opposite to Perenna, close up against him. Pale and swooning, she closed her eyes, staggered.

He caught her in his arms as she fell. She tried to release herself, but had not the strength; and he laid her in a chair, while she moaned, repeatedly:

"Poor man! Poor man!"

Keeping one of his arms under the girl's head, he took a handkerchief in the other hand and wiped her forehead, which was wet with perspiration, and her pallid cheeks, down which the tears streamed.

She must have lost consciousness entirely, for she surrendered herself to Perenna's cares without the least resistance. And he, making no further movement, began anxiously to examine the mouth before his eyes, the mouth with the lips usually so red, now bloodless and discolored.

Gently passing one of his fingers over each of them, with a continuous pressure, he separated them, as one separates the petals of a flower; and the two rows of teeth appeared.

They were charming, beautifully shaped, and beautifully white; a little smaller perhaps than Mme. Fauville's, perhaps also arranged in a wider curve. But what did he know? Who could say that their bite would not leave the same imprint? It was an improbable supposition, an impossible miracle, he knew. And yet the circumstances were all against the girl and pointed to her as the most daring, cruel, implacable and terrible of criminals.

Her breathing became regular. He perceived the cool fragrance of her mouth, intoxicating as the scent of a rose. In spite of himself, he bent down, came so close, so close that he was seized with giddiness and had to make a great effort to lay the girl's head on the back of the chair to take his eyes from the fair face with the half-parted lips.

He rose to his feet and went.

CHAPTER VIII.

The Devil's Postoffice.

STRANGELY enough, life went on as usual at the house in the Place du Palaise-Bourbon, as though nothing out of the way had happened there. Every morning Florence Levasseur sorted Don Luis' post in his presence and read out the newspaper articles referring to himself or bearing upon the Morrington case.

Not a single allusion was made to the fierce fight that had been waged against him for two days. It was as though a truce had been proclaimed between them; and the enemy appeared to have ceased his attacks for the moment. Don Luis felt easy, out of the reach of danger, and he talked to the girl with an indifferent air, as he might have talked to anybody.

But with a feverish interest he studied her unobserved. One morning she said to him:

"The papers say that it will be tonight."

"Tonight?"

"Yes," she said, showing him an article in one of the newspapers. "This is the twenty-fifth; and, according to the information of the police, supplied, they say, by you, there should be a letter delivered in the house on the Boulevard Suchet every tenth day, and the house is to be destroyed by an explosion on the day when the fifth and last letter appears."

He looked at her steadily. She did not flinch. He answered:

"Yes, this is the night. I shall be there. Nothing in the world will prevent me."

That day Don Luis was on his guard. He lunched and dined out and arranged with Mazeroux to have the Place du Palais-Bourbon watched.

At 10 o'clock the Sergeant joined Don Luis in Hippolyte Fauville's workroom. Deputy Chief Detective Weber and two plain clothes men were with him.

Don Luis took Mazeroux aside:

"They distrust me. Own up to it."

"No. As long as M. Desmalions is there, they can do nothing against you. Only, M. Weber maintains—and he is not the only one—that you fake up all these occurrences yourself."

"With what object?"

"With the object of furnishing proof against Marie Fauville and getting her condemned. So I asked for the attendance of the Deputy Chief and two men. There will be four of us to bear witness to your honesty."

They all took up their posts. Two detectives were to sit up in turns.

This time, after making a minute search of the little room in which Fauville's son used to sleep, they locked and bolted the doors and shutters. At 11 o'clock they switched off the electric chandelier.

Don Luis and Weber hardly slept at all.

The night passed without incident of any kind.

But, at 7 o'clock, when the shutters were opened, they saw that there was a letter on the table. Just as on the last occasion, there was a letter on the table!

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TWO MARVELOUS ESCAPES FROM "CERTAIN" DESTRUCTION JUST A MATTER OF LUCK



Diagram using Railway exchange building to show the course of Miss Werner's fall.

A wagon load of paper boxes happened to be under Miss Minnie Werner when she fell from a sixteenth floor window and Marshall Mabey came out swimming after he had been blown through a tunnel roof, a river bed, and 30 feet into the air

IF anybody ever has to award the good luck championship of the United States, he will find that the field has been narrowed considerably by the events of the last few weeks. Indeed, there seem to be only two persons who stand in the first rank of claimants They are Miss Minnie Werner of Chicago, and Marshall Mabey of Astoria, L. I.

The former's bid is based upon the fact that she fell out of a window on the sixteenth floor of a Chicago building and, because a truck load of paper boxes happened to be in the way, escaped with a broken shoulder and a few bruises. Mabey was blown through the roof of a tunnel, the 25-foot bed of the Hudson River and 80 feet into the air and escaped with nothing more serious than nervous shock.



MISS MINNIE WERNER.

Mabey was one of the workmen on the new subway between Montague street, Brooklyn, and Whitehall street, Manhattan. The tunnel was progressing under the Hudson until the head of the tube reached a mud pocket thinner than normal. To counteract the downward pressure from the river bed in this work, a massive shield is driven ahead of the excavators and a tremendous push of compressed air from below neutralizes the weight from above.

Because the mud was thinner than usual at this place, the air pressure became actually the stronger of the two forces. Something had to give way. It was the river bottom.

The shield is of iron, 15½ feet in diameter, and across the top of it to hold back the air pressure are closely fitted planks. They were all in position except the top one, 18 inches wide, at the time of the accident, which is thus described by Mabey:

"All was ready for the shield to go ahead when suddenly there was a strong pouf like a gust of wind, and, glancing through the opening on the top, where the board was off, I saw a hole about 18 inches across suddenly open up in the sand and the mud at the top of the space beyond. It was a sort of round, funnel-shaped hole with all the sand and mud on the edges whirling upwards into the roof above our heads.

"I knew the air pressure had broken through and in another few seconds everything movable, including ourselves, would go up through it. I thought of the board at our feet and I cried out to Frank Driver who was working at my side:

"'Catch the board, Driver, quick!' We caught it up and threw it against the hole in the shield, but it flew out of our hands with a bang and went up through the hole, now more than two feet across. Driver and I jumped back and tried to catch hold of the air pipes. I saw Driver torn away and hurled past me like a shot and up through the hole and, a moment later, I felt myself going and shot sidewise through the space where the board belonged. My left hip and leg banged against the shield and were hurt some, but not badly.

"As I was drawn into the mouth of the hole I felt a tremendous squeezing all over my body, but whether this was from the pressure of the mud and sand through which I was being driven or from the added pressure of the escaping atmosphere being forced through a smaller hole than the chamber below I don't know.

"The next sensation was being in the water. With it came the memory that I had a wife and three children and that for their sake I must do my best to save myself. Well, I came to the surface and was swimming toward a pier when someone threw me a rope and I was pulled out. I did not lose consciousness."

Though eyewitnesses described the geyser of mud and water that rose from the river with the escaping air as having shot up 30 feet with the bodies of three men, Driver, Mabey and Michael McCarthy, Mabey has no recollection of that. This is explained by the fact that he was entirely enclosed by the column of water. The other two men lost their lives.

One man who was working at the head of the boring escaped the fate of his three companions. This man, John Young, a blaster, told a scarcely less thrilling story:

"I had gone to see if they wanted any blasting when something went 'pouf.' I dug my fingers and hung on to the iron of the shield. I'll bet they sank in two inches. I felt just as if a terrible wind was blowing. I felt if I ever let go I would be blown a mile, and I felt I couldn't hold on much longer. I have a dim recollection of the others shooting sidewise through the mud in front of the shield, just sucked out.

"After a second or two the big wind calmed down a bit. I suppose the mud settled back down into the pocket. Then I jumped down from the chamber I was in in the shield. I suppose I jumped six or seven feet.

"I landed over my boots in the water and I ran uphill towards the shaft. Then I thought I shouldn't go when there was any chance that any of the other fellows were still alive, so I ran back. There was no one there. I went to the cage and went up."

Thomas Lennon, a top foreman who saw the accident from above, said: "All you could see was what you might call a geyser of black mud and water with three men turning and twisting inside. It came right out of the river about 250 feet, I should estimate, offshore. It was to the north of me. I was on the dock and I looked right up in the air at the top of it. I should estimate it was 75 feet high.



Marshall Mabey.

"After she had stopped blowing hard after a few seconds, I jumped into one of the company's scows with three other men and we pulled around until we found Driver's body. He seemed to be alive so we transferred him to another scow and then to a tug.

"Mabey wasn't like Driver. Mabey shouted for help the minute he regained the surface. His yells were heard and they threw him a line from the tug. He tied it around himself and they pulled him out."

Miss Werner, the other person of a recent almost miraculous escape, was a stenographer for a publication concern in the Transportaion Building, 608 South Dearborn street, Chicago. One day, about three weeks ago, she complained of being ill and left the office. An elevator took her to the sixteenth floor where there is a rest room for women. From the time she left the elevator until she was picked up, broken and unconscious, no person seems to have seen her. Whether she had leaped or fallen could not be determined until she herself was able to tell about it and then she said she fell.

From the window of the rest room to the ground is a distance of about 200 feet and Miss Werner fell headlong. That she was saved from destruction was due to a queer freak of chance. The driver of a big truck, laden with paper boxes, had stopped under the window. She fell among the boxes and they broke her fall.

When she was picked up after the fall, a policeman rushed up and asked if she had leaped. "I fell," she said, although at that moment she seemed actually unconscious. As soon as she could talk intelligently about the matter, her sister, Edith, asked her to tell how it happened.

"I did not intend to jump," she said. "I felt dizzy and went upstairs to the rest room. When I got there I couldn't make out the details of my surroundings. I went to the window for air. I felt myself falling."

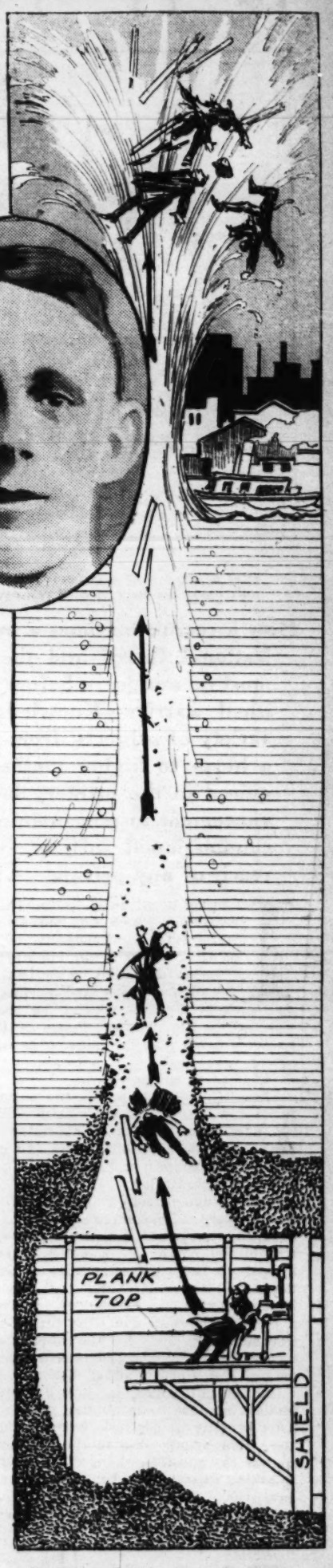


Diagram showing how Mabey was carried by blast from tunnel through river bottom, water and 30 feet in air.

The next thing I knew was when I

Then she told of how she found herself plunging, head down, toward the earth. Although she could have been in the air only a few seconds at most, so rapidly was her mind working, that it seemed almost an eternity. Her memory divides the period into two distinct phases, the first of which is clear and accurate in detail, and the second obscure and uncertain. She seemed to have a curious, detached feeling, as if it were not she but another who was falling, a sensation not uncommon in dreams.

Her first impression was that she was suffering a nightmare in which one imagines himself falling through infinite space. She felt that sickening faintness persons frequently feel when an elevator unexpectedly starts downward. Her chest felt compressed as if enclosed with bands which were squeezing out all the air. The air seemed to pluck at her eyelids as if about to tear them away. There was a ringing in her ears and her body tingled all over.

She realized that she was perfectly conscious—able to scream. She idly wondered if she could move her fingers. She tried and found she could. And then came the realization of what it all meant. She was in full possession of all her faculties and yet she couldn't avert the disaster that lay below.

Then she passed into the second stage. The speed of her fall was accelerated. Now she did not seem to be falling. Instead, she was caught in the midst of a canyon and the earth was rushing up to meet her. Where the buildings had been were nothing but white streaks and below them was the black street. She had a hazy impression that she was all right but that the world had suddenly been turned upside down. Then the white streak and the black merged into one vast chasm of blackness. Apparently she never saw the truck before she struck it. Her fall carried its load of papers with her to the street and a few minutes later she was pulled from the wreckage.

If You Go A-Soldiering

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large his course of study and fit himself for a commission.

But in the artillery a thousand and one things are ahead of him—things that he must know to become an efficient member of a gun squad. After he has been placed in the recruit contingent he first gets his "setting up" exercises, and these, in addition to hardening his muscles and improving his "wind," are designed to teach him how to carry himself, get him in the habit of standing erect with shoulders back and chest out, and also how to march in approved military fashion. Also, when he is getting this instruction he is being taught how to respect his officers, when he must salute them, how to conduct himself in their presence, and other forms which might be called the "social" side of his new environment.

When a man has learned these things he is introduced to a field gun, and if he has had no previous knowledge of one he is due for a shock. The regulation field piece, in the minds of most laymen, is apparently nothing more than an elongated cylinder, open at one end and closed at the other and mounted on wheels. In fact, it is a highly complicated piece of mechanism, made up of hundreds of parts, the name of each of which the neophyte must learn. He must know, too, what relation each part bears to other parts and to the whole. All this is no mean task, but in addition he must become acquainted with the delicate range-finding instruments which are a necessary adjunct to each field piece, for in this scientific age cannon are no longer sighted by squinting along the barrel, but are trained on an object by the use of devices which are graduated into thousandths. During this period, also, he is shown what are the duties of the cannoneers at the various posts around a gun, of which there are five. In connection with lessons in gunnery is taught the composition and mechanism of shells and shrapnel.

If, after absorbing all this, the recruit feels that at last he has become an artilleryman, further disillusionment awaits him. He is led out to the drill ground and shown a horse. As a part of his instruction he must learn the anatomy of this horse and how to care for the animal properly. The next step is to master the intricacies of the horse's harness and how to care for that. This is followed by training in how to ride and drive a horse, two horses and up to six, the number which is used to draw each piece when in the field.

When he has progressed this far, the "rookie" is able to make a creditable showing at drill, but his education is not finished. He is taught individual cooking in order that he may be qualified to prepare a meal for himself when in the field. Classes in this art are organized usually in the spring, and at the same time the man is instructed in camp sanitation and personal sanitation, which implies personal cleanliness and means that, but in addition embraces the care of the feet in marching and caution in drinking water from unfamiliar sources. As these schools usually are a prelude to the summer encampments, where the men are under the eyes of regular army officers, instruction in guard mount, guard duty, shelter tent drill and other features of camp life is taken up.

Here, then, briefly, are the accomplishments which a man in the artillery branch of the national guard must have in order to become even an efficient private soldier. But if he shows aptitude and has formed a liking for the service he by no means need stop here. At the Battery A armory there is held every Thursday night a school for officers and noncommissioned officers, which any private is privileged to attend. At this school are taken up the more intricate phases of gunnery and firing, the handling of the instruments and other technical details of the profession. On Sunday mornings there is an open air school, which privates also may attend, where practice with sights is given. The noncommissioned officers, in addition, have a school of their own, where they learn to make and read field maps and where they work out problems in warfare by means of a pile of sand, which they manipulate until it represents, topographically, hills, valleys, rivers and woods, a countryside over which a column of imaginary artillery is marching, the idea being to take the artillery from one point to another out of sight of the enemy.

There is every inducement for a man to become a specialist in the artillery branch of the service. If he has a bent toward electricity he can become an operator of a field telephone, or if not and he still fancies the signal corps, he may become a signal man or "wig-wagger," or a trained scout who goes in advance of the battery and spies on the enemy's position. A part of the equipment of every battery is a complete blacksmith shop, and a man who has this trade may find employment there. Each battery also has a full outfit of carpenter's tools and material and tools to equip a good-sized harness shop, providing congenial employment to men who fancy these lines.

Promotion to the rank of noncommissioned and commissioned officer is within the reach of everyone, and is far more easily attainable than in the regular army. When there is a vacancy as Corporal any private who feels that he has qualified himself to become one may make application to take the examination for the rank. Likewise, when a sergeantcy is vacant, any Corporal may be examined for promotion to that grade. In the event of a vacancy in the ranks of the Lieutenants, an election is ordered by the State Adjutant-General's office, and the Lieutenant is chosen by a vote of the members of his battery, a majority vote of at least two-thirds of the members of the organization being required.

Instruction at Battery A armory may be had at any hour of the day. A member of the battery who is far advanced in training and who is a former member of the regular army is at the armory from early in the morning until late in the evening, and drill Sergeants detailed from the regulars are on hand every morning. It is their duty to tell a man who has enlisted anything he wants to know.

Nor is the life of the member of Battery A all work and no play when he is at the armory. On the second floor of the large building on Grand avenue—and this may astonish many persons who imagine that the hugs pile is little more than a blank wall behind which is the drill ground—is a sumptuously equipped clubroom, containing the latest magazines, hundreds of books on all subjects from fiction to technical military works, easy chairs, chess and checker boards, a piano and a floor highly polished for dancing, which is a social feature not overlooked in the life of battery members. The building also is equipped with shower baths, basket ball apparatus and in other ways corresponds to a well-ordered gymnasium.

Battery A is equipped to take the field at a moment's notice. Its field pieces are the last word in modern ordnance, and at all times are kept shining and well oiled. To each man of the battery has been issued the latest army model automatic pistol, the only small arm which an artilleryman carries. These, which are numbered like the field kits, so that each man may know which is his, are kept in a locked glass case in the locker room.

A plentiful supply of ammunition is kept always on hand, although in their drills the men use only dummy shells. The ammunition room is at the top of the building, designedly so, so that in the event of an accidental explosion only a portion of the armory would be wrecked and loss of life and injury would be kept to a minimum. In this room are dozens of cases of shrapnel and high explosive shells, pistol ammunition, black powder and smokeless powder, which are kept on hand for the purpose of filling blank shells for saluting purposes.

All ammunition, as well as every other kind of supply, is inspected regularly by a United States army officer, and any which is found defective is condemned, thrown out and replaced. Harness and the spare parts of it which are also kept on hand come under this head of perishable goods and is inspected closely when the inspecting officer comes around. All equipment used in summer camps comes under the eye of this officer, and if, for instance, a man has accidentally dented his canteen, it is condemned and another one is issued to him.

In the event, then, of the mobilization of the United States army, the members of Battery A would assemble at the armory and in a few moments all would be in their field uniforms with pistols strapped at their sides. So neatly and compactly are all supplies kept that it would take no time at all to load everything on the supply wagons. There are horses a-plenty in the battery's stables to draw these as well as the guns, and it is safe to say that within considerably under 24 hours after war's alarm, the organization could be far away from St. Louis, ready to give battle to the enemy, wherever he might be, immediately upon arrival at the scene of hostilities.

WAR REVENUE FROM STAMP COLLECTORS

STAMP collectors are furnishing practically the entire direct revenue of the kingdom of Belgium nowadays. They are furnishing thousands of dollars to France and various French colonies, considerable money to Germany, Austria and Belgium, and are being literally "held up" by Rumania and Liberia.

One of Liberia's chief sources of revenue is the sale of postage stamps to collectors. Its postal needs probably would be met by 1, 2 and 5 cent stamps, but it issues them up to $5 face value, and in sets large enough to make a total face value of $10.33, as well as postage due, registration and official stamps totaling nearly as much. It would be safe to say that out of every $100 worth of Liberian stamps sold $90 worth are bought by collectors. Not content with that, Liberia has just issued a "Red Cross" stamp of the value of 5 cents, with a postage value of 3 cents. The other two cents is divided between the allies and the central Powers. The 3 cents, however, goes to Liberia, and it is a good bet that 99 out of 100 of the stamps sold never will pay postage duty.

The kingdom of Belgium could get along very well nowadays with no postage stamps at all, but the Government at Havre has just issued a new set totaling nearly $20 in face value. Of course very few of these will ever do legitimate postal duty, but the sale of them to collectors is expected to bring in many thousands of dollars for which no service ever will be given, because the stamps will go into the albums of collectors and stay there. Incidentally, German collectors will furnish considerable of this money. France, Great Britain and others of the allies prohibit the sale of enemy goods, which includes postage stamps unused, so that cuts off from collectors in allied countries the purchase of the German or Austrian war stamps. Nevertheless, Germany probably has balanced the outgo by selling to collectors the Belgian, French and Russian stamps it has captured, as well as issuing special sets of stamps for use in Belgium and Russian Poland. These have been put out to collectors in neutral countries through dealers in Holland and Switzerland.

Rumania has issued special "Red Cross" stamps, which are sold above their face value to provide a fund for the Rumanian army hospitals in the event that Rumania goes to war. Naturally these stamps are sold in vast quantities to collectors. France and most of the French colonies have limited their "Red Cross" issues to a single stamp of 15 centimes (3 cents), 10 centimes for postage value and 5 centimes for the Red Cross. Great Britain has not yet tapped that source of revenue, but one of its colonies, Trinidad, has. Great Britain, however, has increased its postage rates, as have Canada and New Zealand. This increase, making the letter postage rate equal to 3 cents, is for Government revenue and not for the Red Cross. Holland and most of the Dutch colonies also have issued special stamps for Red Cross work in Holland. Italy has issued a stamp, but it has no postage value and therefore is not generally accepted by stamp collectors.

India has issued special stamps for the use of its soldiers in France and Egypt, but these are purely for postage purposes and collectors have difficulty buying them unused.

Germany issued distinctive stamps for each of its colonies, of which more were sold to collectors than for postal purposes. When these colonies were captured by the allies, the captured stamps were overprinted with values in British or French money. In many cases, very few stamps of some values were captured, and collectors pay $250 to 300 for a single specimen. In Kiauchau, however, the Japanese simply destroyed the German stamps and substituted their own. Following out its practice in the case of Belgium, Germany, after the war, probably will sell the remainder of all of its colonial stamps on hand in Berlin.

When Turkey went to war, its supplies of stamps printed in England were cut off, and it soon ran out. It met the emergency by overprinting the high value stamps for use as lesser denominations. With the road open to Germany, Turkey probably can obtain new stamps without much trouble. Bulgaria is having new stamps printed in Vienna. Austria uses what are known as "military occupation stamps" for the former Turkish provinces of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

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FORCED BY GRATITUDE

OF HUNDREDS

To Repeat His Offer of Feb. 6th in St. Louis Post-Dispatch



I have been so moved the past few weeks by the gratitude of St. Louis Post-Dispatch readers that I have decided to make again the offer which I made in the Feb. 6 issue. This is what I said: "I am going to Give Away a Free Treatment for Deafness, to every sufferer who asks for it."

The letters of request have poured in; letters of grateful thanks have also poured in. From every part of the continent the people whom I have cured of that terrible affliction—Deafness—are thanking me.

A letter from the Far West says, "Allow me to thank you a thousand times for the good hearing you have restored to me." A letter from New England says, "I bless the day I saw your offer, for you have cured me of Deafness."

DEAFNESS TREATMENT FREE

These many letters of gratitude have touched my heart, and so I say again to the readers of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, "I will give away a Free Treatment for Deafness to every sufferer who writes for it."

This offer can only be made for a very short time. If you are Deaf, or have any trouble with your ears, write for a Free Treatment.

This treatment is entirely free. I want to help you. I know what you suffer in the approach of Deafness, and the intolerable agony of complete Deafness. I know that I have cured many, many people who were Deaf. I want you to have the same opportunity to hear again. Write today for my treatment for Deafness.

Send off now a post card or letter request, with your full name and address. Don't delay, or it may be too late. If you have even the slightest feeling that something is wrong with your ears, be on the safe side and send for treatment. It won't cost you anything. If you are growing Deaf, and have become discouraged and tired of experimenting, profit by the example of those who have been cured by my treatment. Many of these people thought that they never could be cured, they had tried so many different things which never did them any good. My treatment restored their hearing.

Write today for a Free Deafness Treatment, to

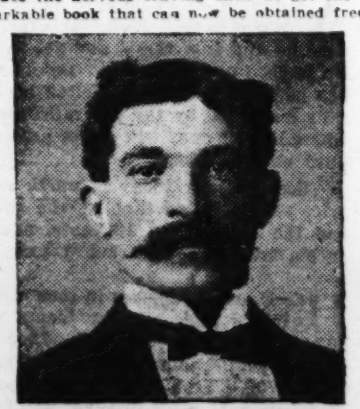
Deafness Specialist Sproule,

303 Trade Building, Boston, Mass.

Smoked Cigarettes for 22 Years

Habit Was Ruining Him, But He Conquered It in Three Days, Easily.

The portrait below is that of Mr. P. J. Elizagaray, a well-known citizen of Livingston, Montana, who knew that his life was being ruined through the pernicious habit of cigarette smoking, yet could not find anything to stop it and solace the nervous craving until he got the remarkable book that can now be obtained free.



A clergyman, Rev. M. Ross, Dayton, Ohio, testifies that after having been a slave to tobacco 44 years he got rid of the habit entirely in a few days, greatly improving his health.

QUIT TOBACCO, GAINED 35 LBS.

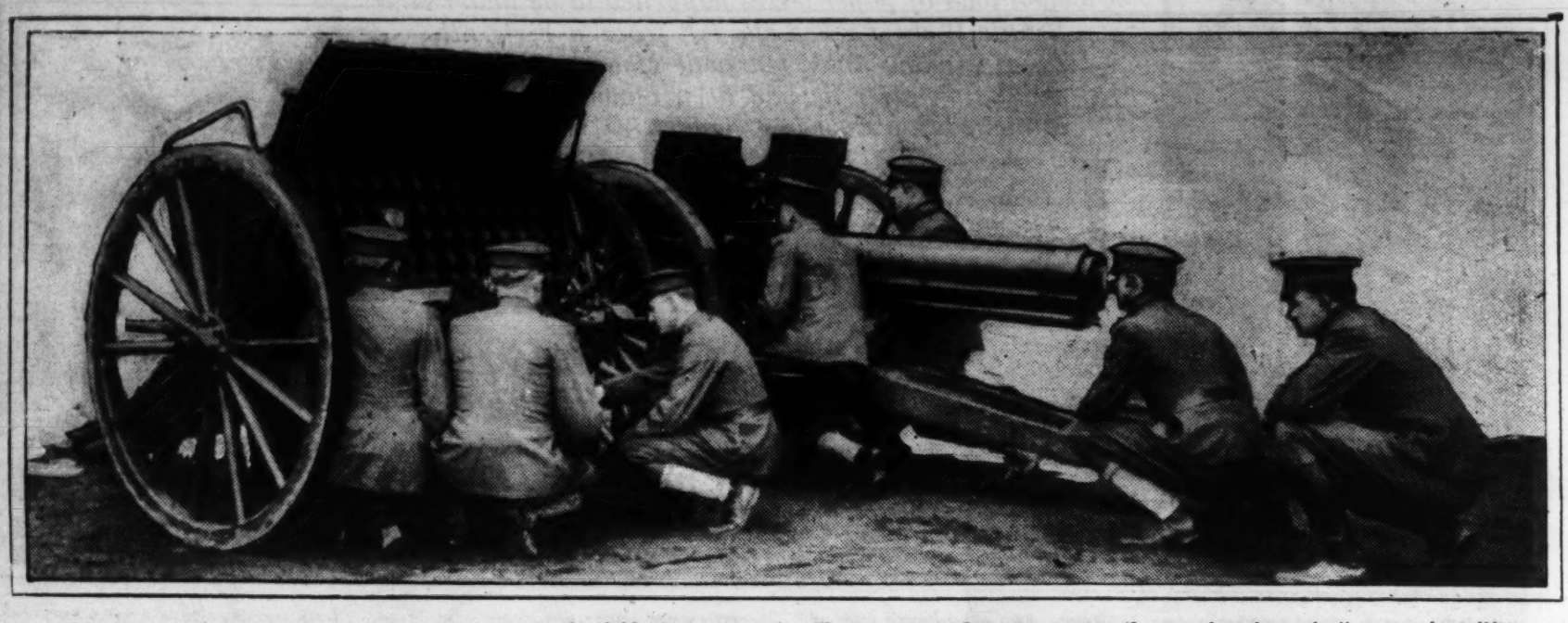
Everybody in Mangum, Okla., is talking about the big change in Al Reeves; he put on 35 lbs. in healthy flesh since getting rid of tobacco habit through the information gained in the free book which you may also easily obtain.

That he could never quit was the fear of George Ambush, Pearl street, Philadelphia, who was a slave of tobacco for many years, but after getting the book he learned how the habit could be conquered in three days. Now he writes that he is forever free from the craving and is in much improved health.

BOOK GIVEN FREE.

A valuable, interesting book on how to overcome the tobacco habit (in any form) has been written by Edw. J. Woods, 1301 R. Station E, New York, N. Y., and he will send it free to anyone who writes asking for it, as he is very anxious that all who are victims of the craving for tobacco, snuff, cigars or cigarettes may save themselves easily, quickly, gently and lastingly. Eyes, heart, kidneys and stomach improved, nerves tranquilized, memory improved, vigor gained and numerous other benefits often reported.

WHAT YOU WILL HAVE TO DO IF YOU GO A-SOLDIERING



Just after a shot has been fired. The picture shows the field piece in recoil. The men around the gun, when the muzzle returns to its normal position, will open the breech and remove the spent shell. The men at the left are removing a shell from the caisson to hand to the gunners for the next shot.

How a recruit becomes a member of the National Guard and the things he must do and learn before he is a finished warrior—Knowledge of wide variety of subjects, from the care of a horse to higher mathematics, required in the artillery branch—Advancement to noncommissioned and commissioned officer within the reach of any private :: :: ::

IT is not at all unlikely that the agitation for preparedness which has sprung up in the United States since the European war started will result in an increase in the country's trained soldiery. Whether this is to be accomplished by enlarging the regular army and putting the state militia under Federal control, as proposed in the bill now before the national House of Representatives, or by some other plan, remains to be seen; but it is safe to say that whatever is determined upon there will be an impetus to enlistment.

Those who already are in the national guard or who enlist now will have become trained soldiers by the time the new army plan is in operation. Officers will be needed for the additional units and many soldiers who are only privates now can hope to get commissions in the new organization.

The average person is inclined to look upon the national guard with something akin to tolerance; if, indeed, the thought of it does not provoke in him a smile. Unthinking youths for whom military training has no attractions are wont sometimes to refer to the militiaman as a "tin soldier," and most older men and women, if they ever allow themselves to give him more than a passing thought, doubtless regard him as something that comes in handy for marching in parades and firing salutes on patriotic occasions or a means of protection in case of riot, flood or other disaster.

But the militiaman can afford to overlook this indifference, because he is on the inside and he knows just what benefits he derives, physically, mentally and morally, from membership in the organization. It was to answer the question, then, which many young men will be asking themselves when a bigger army bill becomes a law, that a Post-Dispatch reporter passed a number of hours at the armory of Battery A, St. Louis famous artillery organization, with Capt. Frank M. Rumbold, commander of the battery, a Spanish and Philippine War veteran and former Adjutant-General of Missouri.

The question is this: What are the requirements for joining the national guard and what will befall me after I become a member? As far as membership in the artillery is concerned, it would take a book to answer the last part of the question in detail, but it can be said at the outset that among the things he would receive is a liberal education along mathematical and scientific lines; and, unlike his brethren in the infantry and cavalry, he would not be called upon to do State police duty.

Joining the national guard—it makes no difference whether he chooses the artillery, infantry, cavalry or any other branch—is easy for anybody who has two hands and two feet, a heart and a pair of lungs that are in good working order, and who otherwise is neither normal physically or gives indications of becoming normal through the physical training that goes with enlistment. All he has to do is to appear some drill night at the headquarters of the organization with which he desires to affiliate himself and make known to somebody his desire to become a soldier. This person will turn him over to a First Sergeant, who will give him a preliminary questioning as to his age, previous service, if any; whether he is married or single—married men are not barred from enlistment as they are in the regular army—and particularly whether his occupation would prevent him from appearing regularly at drill or participating in summer camps or instruction.



Before and after. At the left is a recruit, in ill-fitting uniform and slouchy carriage. He will carry himself like the man at the right after a few weeks of "setting up" exercises.

If he passes this ordeal satisfactorily, the applicant is turned over to the surgeon for physical examination. This, while thorough, is by no means as exacting as that required for acceptance into the regular army. Before the examination proper, the applicant must tell, under oath, whether he is addicted to the use of intoxicants or narcotics, what illnesses, diseases or accidents he has had since childhood, whether he ever has had any diseases a list of which is read to him, and whether he has ever been under treatment in a hospital or asylum.

The recruit then strips and his weight and height are taken. This, too, does not prove the stumbling block that it might if he were seeking admission into the regular army, which tries to arbitrarily fix the weight of a man at two pounds to every inch of his height. A test then is made of his sight and hearing, and his chest measurement is taken, both at expiration and inspiration. This is followed by a general examination of head, chest, abdomen, extremities, etc.

Providing he has passed the physical test successfully—and few do not—the recruit is ready to be sworn in. In the presence of the commanding officer, or subordinate officer if he cannot be present, he takes the oath:

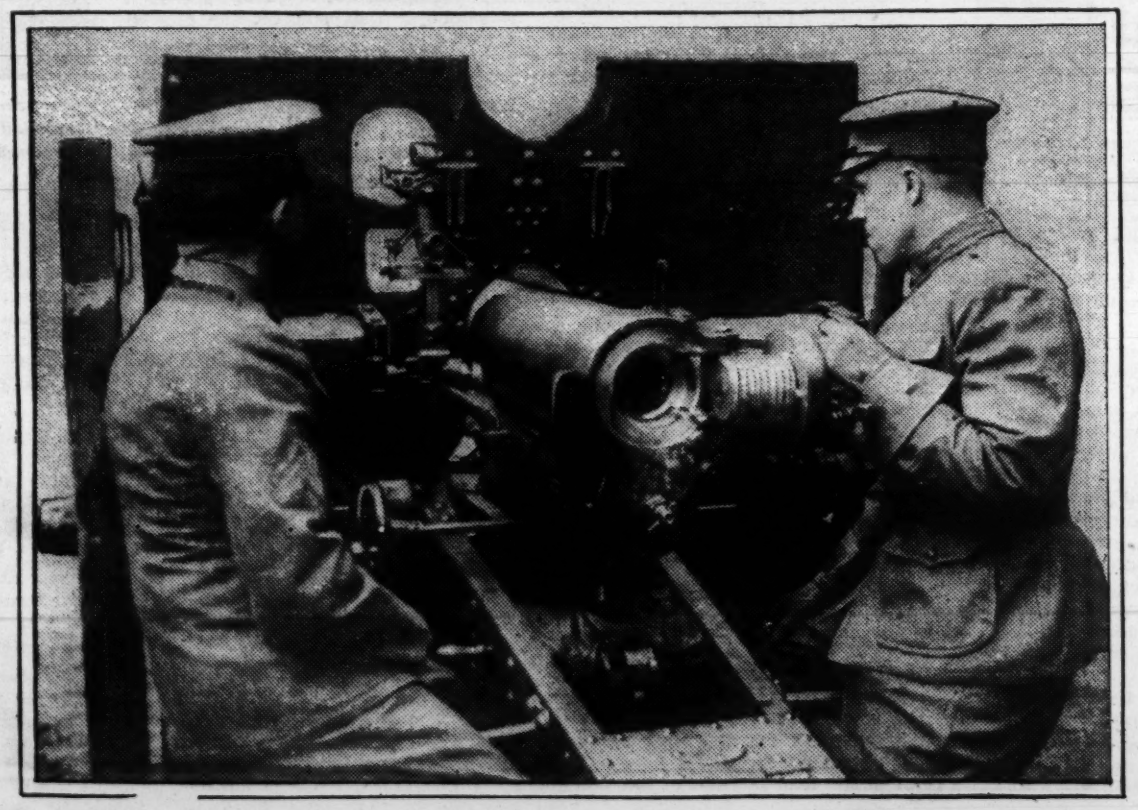
"I do solemnly swear that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the State of Missouri and the United States, and will support the Constitution and laws thereof, and the Constitution and laws of the United States, and that I will faithfully observe and obey the rules, laws and regulations for the government of the national guard and the lawful orders of all officers elected or appointed over me, so help me God."

He is now a soldier, obligated to a service of three years, unless discharged before the expiration of that time for physical disability, misconduct or other causes.

But before he can become a real soldier he first must don the habiliments of one. He is taken to the Quartermaster-Sergeant, who keeps a supply of clothing and equipment on hand. There he is fitted out with the regulation khaki shirt, coat, trousers, leggings and cap. He is given also a field kit, consisting of a blanket, sleeping bag—a canvas sack, which, when in the field, he can fill with straw or leaves and provide himself with a mattress to protect his body from the ground—a canteen, skillet, knife, fork and spoon and half of a small tent—"pup" tent, it is called in the army—just large enough to give shelter to two men. Each piece in this pack bears the same number, so that if, in the field, a man who has, say, 21, loses a spoon, he reports the loss to the commander of his unit, and when inspection day comes around the man who has a spoon numbered 21 must return it to its owner. After he is outfitted the novice is assigned to a locker and told how to care for his clothing and equipment.

Up to this point the experiences of a recruit are the same no matter which branch of the service he has joined. If he has become an infantryman he joins the "awkward squad," and receives instruction in military evolutions, etiquette and use and care of the rifle. In the cavalry he must learn to ride and care for a horse in addition to the other requirements. In these branches it is only a matter of a few months until he has mastered all that is necessary for an enlisted man to know, and his instruction is at an end unless he is ambitious and wishes to en-

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A close view of the breech of a 3-inch field piece, the regulation mobile artillery of the United States Army. Note the range-finding instrument at the right of the head of the man at the left. It operates on the principle of the periscope of a submarine.

Woeful War Stops



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—THEODORE HOFELLER, former President of the National Association of Waste Material Dealers.



18,000,000 square feet of lumber annually thrown away in pencil stubs.

WAR stops waste!

Paradoxical, perhaps; but true. It is the new principle of economics. The apotheosis of the junkman is at hand. Mr. Hofeller's statement, as quoted above, is a far cry from the "Rags, bottles, sacks!" of yesterday. Today there is invested in the industry of making over scrap material the vast sum of $700,000,000. The firms interested do a business of more than $100,000,000 a year. It is a business of little things, concerning itself with what most people consider things of such insignificant value as not being worth thinking about at all. Yet a hundred millions a year!

AND how the war has boomed their particular business!

Prices have been sent soaring. This has made it possible to transport waste from far-distant points that was never usable before. Despised junk is now rich raw material. Why, woolen rags are worth almost their weight in gold—they cost three times as much as they did before the war. Some rags have gone up 500 per cent. And so we get the strange anomaly that some rags fetch more than raw wool! Why? Because they have been dyed and dealers want those precious dyes back again (and they get them). With Germany blockaded, no dyes—of many of which they have a monopoly—can come out.

Shoddy? You turn your nose at it! Do you realize that shoddy is the only thing that has enabled the poor to wear woolen clothing at all? Or that without deception (to the tailors) it is used to face some of the finest cloths in which the Beau Brummels today betog themselves? This because it makes a better finish.



Coal tar, once dumped as refuse, today yields more than 2000 colors, besides flavors, medicines, etc.

LOOK at the romance of coal tar. Once dumped into vile-smelling heaps of refuse or pumped into the river, today it yields more than two thousand colors, besides drugs, preservatives, medicines, explosives, flavors, synthetic sugar and quinine, perfumes, chemicals and what not. There is a business of more than $100,000,000 in coal tar byproducts today. And this is not a part of the business of utilizing waste, either, for coal tar is no longer counted as waste, but as a useful product from baking coal and making illuminating gas of it. The 140 pounds of tar from every ton is the most precious of all the yield from coal.

GERMANY is doing economical wonders with its war waste today. The "sammelstelle" is the chief point of interest to the visitor who can get behind the lines. "Collection point" it would be in plain English—junk pile, really. It contains the gleanings of the battlefield. Every conceivable object, from bits of rubber to broken bayonets and pieces of exploded shells, are collected and sorted.

Experts run over everything. Cartridges are saved out, and water bottles and clothes still fit to wear are piled up. The bayonets go to one place to be made over; the rifles are overhauled—every kind of make—and come back like new. Ripped and bursted auto tires go to the melting pot and come back as sound white ones. A big laundry cleans 100,000 garments every month. Damaged artillery goes to shops, where it is repaired. Wheels are remade; barrels rebored. A new gun is often made out of the undamaged parts of several guns collectively put out of business. Leather is set to other uses, shoes are repaired and straps that are torn are cut into other widths and lengths, and put to other tasks.



Some rags have gone up 500 per cent.

AND what do we do here along similar lines, in these piping peace days? Well, for example, we work over tin cans—a perfect mine of wealth—and iron scrap, and get back $14,000,000 worth of useful metal again. Our tin is used over and over. Before the war scrap iron brought $10.75 a ton; now it has gone up to $18.50. Melted back into ingots it is quite as good as ever. Steel rails discarded by the big railroads are rerolled into rails for less important lines where lighter ones will do, or are bought by contractors for the use of their service lines on big jobs.

Scrap copper today is worth almost as much as new metal. War boosted the price regularly, so that by the end of 1915 new stuff brought 23 cents a pound and the old fetched 19 cents, and a business of $25,000,000 in it! Scrap zinc, once a drug on the market at 4 cents a pound, is 13 cents at this writing. Save it!

HERE are the figures in tons of "recovered" metal from Uncle Sam's junk pile for just a year: Brass, 99,000; copper, 58,000; spelter, 43,000; lead, 60,000; zinc, 3914; tin, 12,000; antimony, 5300; aluminum, 5400. The "recovered" metals totaled $57,039,706. True, indeed, the statement of a business genius that "our next great fortunes will be taken from the junk heap!"

With crude rubber at $1 a pound now, and all the warring nations gobbling every ounce they can beg or seize or buy, no wonder there is a steady demand for old garden hose, hubbers, tires, arctics, tubes, auto peelings, wringers, car springs, horseshoe pads, matting and packing, air brake hose, fire hose and tubes. Prices in these discards of life fluctuate daily, just as stocks and bonds do. All go to the melting pot at from 1 cent to 10 cents a pound and come back brand-new!

You haven't a pound of old antimony lying around the shop, perhaps? The foxy Chinese have cornered it because of its great demand for munitions of war—to say nothing of type. Once it was worth $125 a ton; now you pay $600 gold a ton for the same. Why? Because it is mixed with the steel for shells, making it more brittle. Thus it breaks into smaller pieces when it explodes. Nice thought for the men in the trenches; what?

So they are working over old, worn-out type, here and abroad, and exploded shell fragments, to get back this near-precious metal.



Potash is now made from mouldering heaps of seaweed.

TUNGSTEN is used in making tool steel, for which there is an enormous demand. Before the war it brought 60 cents a pound. Today it is $5 a pound, and a ton of ore brings $3000. So precious is this metal that even the assay offices are being scoured for specimens, and every ounce of it is being reclaimed that can be found. Brokers do not sneer at a trade in one-pound lots, and to quote the Waste Trade Journal, "the purchasing agent of the Crucible Steel Co. is very grateful if somebody can give him one hundred pounds."

And, says the editor, "there's an overnight fortune for the man who can reclaim it from old tools and such." A lot of clever men are trying, but nothing doing yet.

Rags are the Bethlehem Steel of the junkman's trade. Two million dollars' worth have just gone to England to make shoddy. Rags that brought 4 cents a pound now bring 14; tailors' clippings, once quoted at 7 cents, are now 21 cents. Black worsteds, aristocrats of the species, fetch 32 cents a pound. England alone can use up 210,000,000 pounds of rags a year! This country imports $2,000,000 worth of waste rags every year just to make writing paper.

About 1,400,000 tons of flax straw have been burned or allowed to go to waste in this country every year. Not for much longer! Specialists in the employ of the Department of Agriculture have shown that it can be used for making paper and fiber board. Already a demand for $1,600,000 worth of flax straw has sprung up. Once it was clear waste.

Time was when yellow brass turnings were entirely unsalable. Now they average 12 cents a pound. Old tinfoil brings 30 cents and siphon tops are worth a quarter a pound. When Tony gets through with his shoe rags he can sell them for 4 cents a pound and you may see them next in some fine "bond" writing paper. Bones fetch $25 a ton after every body's picked 'em.

Now hear Arthur D. Little of the United States Chamber of Commerce:

"We waste 150,000,000 tons of wood a year, 1,000,000,000 feet of natural gas a day; 1,000,000 tons of flax straw a year. Our coke ovens flame for miles in Pennsylvania, wasting precious ammonia and exciting no comment, while the burning of a $1000 house would draw a mob."

SOME experts have got the waste down finer than even Mr. Little. We waste 13,000,000 feet of lumber every year in old lead pencils by throwing away the stubs. Two girls earn for the Government 100 times their salaries just by going through the waste paper baskets in the Treasury Department at Washington. Their prize find was a $10,000 United States gold bond.

Old corn cobs are now made into fuel bricquets and railway ties. Potash, mighty useful for war, is made from the moldering heaps of seaweeds tossed upon our Pacific Coast. Oil is now pressed from used cotton waste, renovated and used over again.

It has been figured out by a junkman expert that this country loses $36,000,000 a year in cotton wastage alone, after the last shred of the fiber has been saved that can be. And this is how:

Wrapped in jute bagging and strapped with hoop iron, last year's bales averaged 509 pounds apiece. Just 5,649,000 of these bales went to American mills. Actually there was spun into cloth and yarn the equivalent of 4,801,650 bales, because of 15 per cent loss. This is divided into two classes, raw material waste and manufacturing waste. The first counts the bagging and iron straps, included in the weight, the shrinkage and three pounds torn off in transit for samples. The second includes flying cotton lint, cotton damaged in processing and the quantity that remains that is not spinnable. The latter is one of the new savings now. Suppose a two-inch length is required; some is not that long. This goes for a coarser yarn to another mill, and the residue there goes to still another for even coarser products, and in the step-down from mill to mill the final residuum lands in a factory making wicking, mop yarns, etc.

Actually, though there is a 15 per cent theoretical waste in a bale of cotton, the total loss is reduced to a minimum and only 3 per cent goes to the junk dealer to sort out and sell. In all the processes through which a bale goes but 2 per cent is irrecoverably lost in flying lint. Added to the 3 per cent which is the junkman's share, there is 5 per cent lost in manufacturing and 10 per cent in raw material. In other words, the manufacturer loses just $9.16 to the bale. Here comes the junkman, who gives him back $1.50 for the jute and the iron straps on every bale, and 75 cents for the waste, or $2.25 in all.

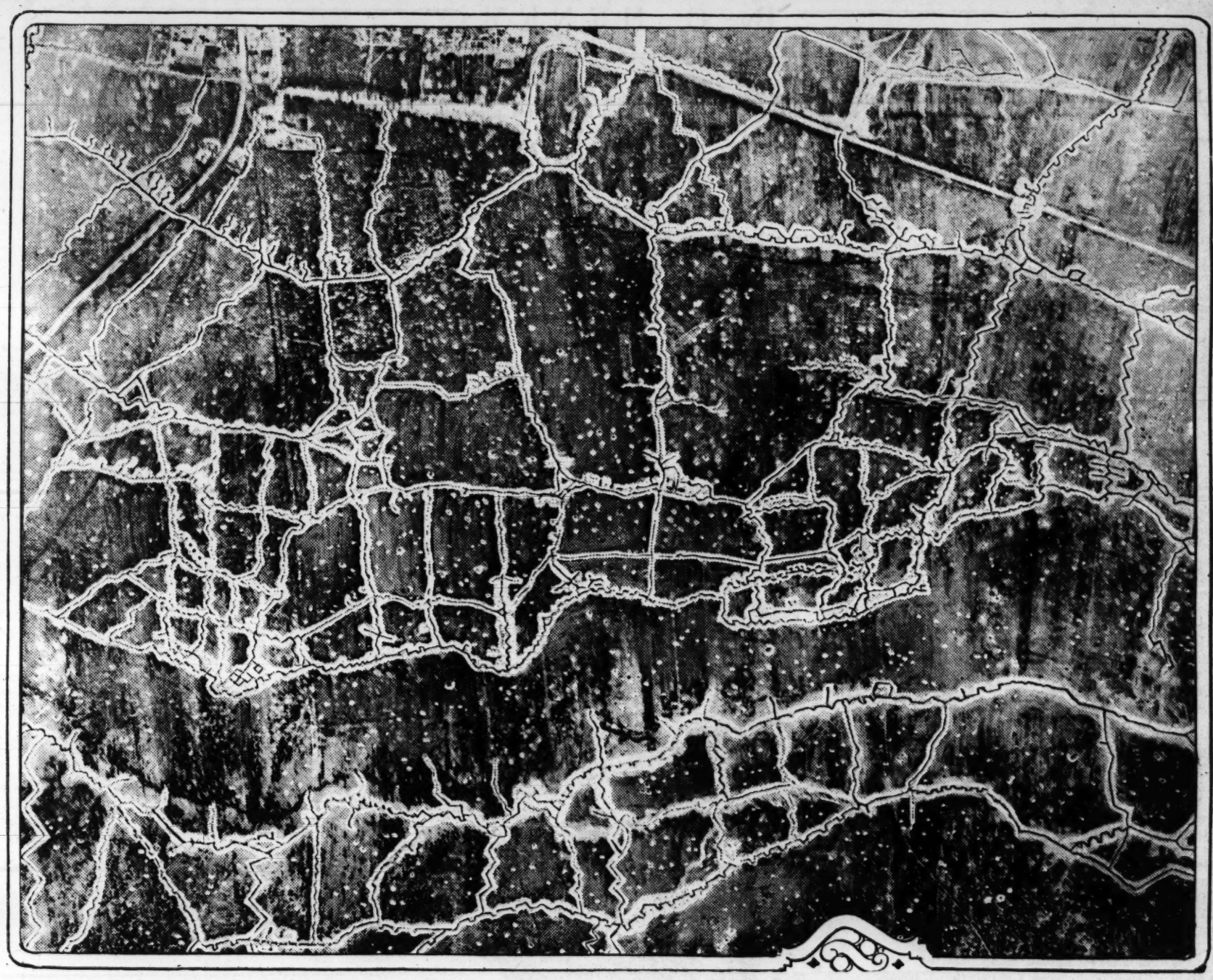
Hark—"Rags, bottles, sacks!"—the cry of big business!

In an effort to prevent a coal shortage, manufacturers of the country are undertaking a little reclamation in advance of the junk pile stage. They are urging upon consumers the advisability of conserving the coal supply as much as possible and are offering many suggestions as to how this may be done.

It is urged that the consumer, large or small, for his own protection should have a sufficient stock of coal on hand to tide him over any possible shortage and that he should use the greatest economy in his methods of using it. Except in dwellings, scientific storage of coal requires a certain amount of equipment and involves a financial outlay.

One of the commonest methods is by making outdoor piles built up by dumping from temporary wooden trestles. It is recovered from these heaps either by hand shovels or by steam shovels, grab buckets and locomotive cranes. The first cost of such a plant is small, but the operating expense is high and there is considerable wastage. However, careful methods will mean a difference between five cents a ton and $2 or $3 a ton.

REMARKABLE AEROPLANE VIEW OF HOSTILE TRENCHES WHILE FIGHTING WAS IN PROGRESS



Opposing labyrinths divided only by neutral zones the earth pockmarked with shell holes.

NO photographs of any part of Europe's vast battle-ground have proved more interesting than the ones reproduced on this page, showing as they do how the war trenches look from an aeroplane. They were taken by official army protographers over the French and German trenches in the Champagne district during the great offensive of last fall.

The observer who took these pictures was wounded before he got to earth again. His aeroplane was constantly subjected to shell fire. One shell burst so close to the machine that the aeroplane was forced to descend and was smashed when it hit the ground. Although the observer was hurt, the pilot escaped without injury and the photographic apparatus remained undamaged.

The French Government has refused to permit the exact location of the trenches shown to be given or to say which are the German and which the French lines. However, it will be observed that there is a narrow zone in the foreground across which there are no intercommunicating trenches, and this outlines the neutral territory between the hostile forces. How narrow it is, in comparison to the rest of the scene, is readily apparent.

The soil is of chalk formation, so that every artificial irregularity stands out plainly. The countless little spots are marks of where shells have exploded, tearing up the surface dirt and revealing the whitish ground beneath it. The larger smudges are smoke from shells that were bursting under the aeroplane of the daring photographer. There are darker lines, the marks of old roads which have been worn deep by constantly moving trains of artillery.

The trenches are built with all the skill of modern military engineering. Not one of them runs in a straight line for any great distance, but all are broken by innumerable zigzags. The purpose of this is to make it impossible for an enemy who has captured any section of a trench to sweep the rest of it with enfilading fire.



The ultimate product—Graves behind the fighting lines.

In the stress of battle it often happens that rival forces are in different sections of the same trench, each striving to advance or to prevent the enemy from making further progress.

It will be noticed that the principal trenches lie in lines more or less parallel to each other. Connecting all of these are communicating trenches. It is through these that supplies are transferred to the front, relief soldiers pass and the wounded are borne away to the relief hospitals immediately behind the firing lines. A wounded soldier makes his way unaided, whenever possible, through one of these laterals to the nearest emergency hospital.

One who stood upon the same level and looked across the field might look for days, provided he didn't get hurt, and never see a human being. Yet all around him would be thousands of men, snugly hidden away. Only the flashes and smoke from the rifles, the ceaseless pounding of the guns and the crashing of shells would be there to tell of the grim business going on.

Practically every foot of ground in the whole district is exactly located in the range-finding charts of the gunners, so that a scathing fire can be instantly concentrated on any spot. That is why advances must be made foot by foot and a tremendous price in human life must be paid for every rod of trench gained.

And what is going on in this territory? No better description has been given than the following vivid word picture by a noted editorial writer of the Berliner Tageblatt who has been doing his bit at the front.

By Bernhard Kellerman.

Along the whole front hundreds of miles, extending from the North Sea to trenches. They are there day and night and at this very moment.

Up in Flanders the water reaches to the knees. The pumps are working, but the water does not subside. Despite concrete, beams and sandbags, the trenches daily collapse and the sandbags have to be replaced again and again with much labor. If they leave the trenches the soldiers have to wade in water. In the Champagne region the mud is ankle deep, also in the Argonne. Here, too, the pumps are working to free the country of the water.

It is raining in sheets, and the cold is penetrating. When the soldiers are relieved for a few hours they fall on their mattresses exhausted, their legs stiff and sore from water and frost. No army in history could have stood all this. Even Napoleon would not have risked putting his troops to such suffering and such strain.

In mud and water, behind the sandbags, the soldier stands with his gun in the narrow labyrinth of trenches. Thousands of men are doing this, from the coast where the wintry sea rolls on the beach to Switzerland, where the Alps rise to the sky. Day and night they stand, a few feet apart, and day and night the machine guns spout and send out their deadly fire. In the damp en-

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CANADA'S EPIDEMIC OF SPY-PHOBIA



Innocent acts are suspected of being means of communicating with hostile airships.

Every city hall in every village guarded against "bomb plots," submarines are "detected" in shallow streams, and enemy aeroplanes teem in the imagination of patriots—How panic nearly cost Dominion its under-sea fleet :: ::



Every fire, however unimportant, is attributed to a German spy.

THE burning of the Canadian Parliament buildings at Ottawa and the discovery of a plot to blow up the Welland Canal have had the effect of redoubling the "German machination" scare in Canada, as is inevitable in a country hitherto peaceful, in a generation that has never known war. While these two events have led thoughtful Canadians to believe, perhaps for the first time, that enemy plots do really exist in the Dominion, the widespread "spy mania" has given rise to a number of comedies, which, no doubt, would be duplicated in this country, should it become involved in war.

Something very closely resembling panic exists at the present time in all the Canadian cities. Every Mayor of every village is guarding his city hall against bomb plotters, hostile aeroplanes appear daily to imaginative patriots, submarines are detected prowling in humble streams. Public buildings in all parts of the Dominion are closely watched by sentries. Every fire, no matter how unimportant is attributed to a "spy" before any other hypothesis is formed. Military guards on watch at bridges and canals are developing a reckless habit of shooting if they see anybody late at night.

The situation recalls the scenes that were witnessed in Canada during the early weeks of the war, when the newspapers worked a German, an Austrian or a Pole into every crime, and even street corner brawls were attributed to ill feeling among the strangers in the country over the war. There were many who actually expected to see a Zeppelin drop bombs on Montreal some fine night, German gun bases were discovered in every second back yard, and German submarines were looked for in the St. Lawrence weekly and daily. Recent events have shown that the fear of enemy plots was not altogether unfounded, but many of the "German spies" rumors of the past year have undeniably opera bouffe elements.

Such a rumor was that which declared German submarines to be patrolling the Gulf of St. Lawrence last summer. Although not printed in the newspapers, this story spread with amazing rapidity, and it even found credence at Ottawa. The rumor had it that the Germans had succeeded in sending their long-distance "U boats" across the Atlantic, to cut off the sending of Canadian troops to England, and to bottle up the Canadian export grain. They were supplied from carefully prepared and fully stocked bases in the deep bays along the gulf, and these bases were provisioned from the United States.

So much faith was reposed in the report, that at one time a large number of motor boats in the maritime provinces were commandeered to patrol the coast of the gulf in quest of submarines, and two transports loaded with Canadian troops were stopped by a wireless message in the Gulf of St. Lawrence one day and ordered to return to Quebec and safety.

It was later found that there had actually been submarines in the gulf, but they were British submarines, manufactured in the United States by the Schwab interests, and assembled in Montreal. They were tested out in the St. Lawrence, and these same boats later gave a good account of themselves in the Baltic, where one of them sank the big German cruiser Moltke.

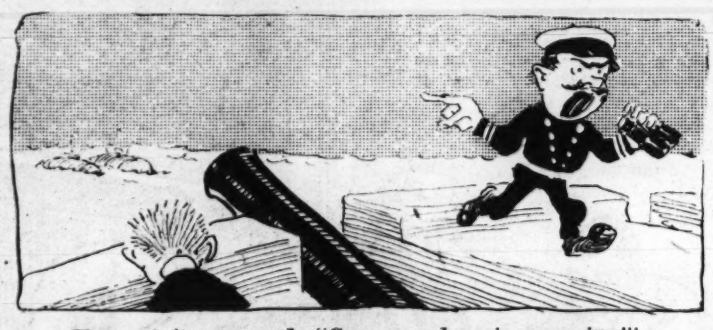
There was another angle to the German submarine tale that was widely believed in eastern Canada. The story was that there was a fully equipped submarine base on the Maine coast not far from Portland, where several U-boats were stationed to prey on Canadian commerce. This base, according to the information spread broadcast in Canada, was discovered by the United States Government and its personnel interned. The newspapers were instructed from Washington to say nothing about the affair, and, of course, they kept it dark. Thus ran the legend.

But the submarine fades into insignificance in the face of the aeroplane in forming the subject matter of German spy stories in Canada. The aeroplane, almost as unfamiliar to the inland Canadian as the "sub," floats through many a nightmare born of ignorance and fear. Ever since the outbreak of the war Montreal, Toronto and other cities have been seeing enemy aeroplanes in the sky on clear nights, searchlights and all.

One of the best of the aeroplane frights was reported early last summer from Chateauguay, a few miles from Montreal. There was living in Chateauguay a former officer of the German army, a man who was regarded as harmless enough to escape the internment camp, but still of sufficient importance to be kept under surveillance. One fine night the German disappeared, and the same night, according to the word of many reputable residents of the village, a large aeroplane appeared above Chateauguay, flying from the south, and returned south half an hour later.

The next day the story grew until finally the Montreal newspapers published articles, supported by the best of declarations, to the effect that the aeroplane had come from the United States to take the former German officer out of the hostile country to neutral soil. It had descended in a large field near the village—they pointed out the exact location—picked up the passenger, and speeded back across the international border with its double burden. Chateauguay people believe this legend to this day. One notary of the village says he will never forgive himself for not bringing the aeroplane down with a charge of buckshot, so low was it flying when it passed his barn.

There have been aeroplanes about, of that there is no doubt, but the authorities who know about such matters say that the machines all come from the same place, an aviation school in the northern part of New York State. Although it is not considered polite for a military aeroplane to fly over foreign soil without permission, it is believed that aviation students making long flights are disinclined to watch too closely the niceties of international etiquette.



The captain screamed: "German submarines coming!"

That is one explanation, but there are others quite as plausible. There is no doubt that the professional jokester has taken full advantage of popular gullibility during this wartime panic. Kites flown from swiftly moving automobiles have been used to represent aeroplanes on more than one occasion, and in some cases lights have been added to help the general effect.

The work of a practical, and stupid, joker is also at the bottom of many other kinds of spy scares. Only lately, for instance, the Mayor of Montreal was informed by telephone one day that the city hall was to be burned down that same day at the hour of 12:30. The Mayor stationed heavy guards of police and firemen on every floor of the building, had the fire protection apparatus stripped for action, locked up all the city's documents in the vaults, and waited for the expected disaster. It never came.



A tennis court "gun base" proved to contain seven inches of concrete instead of seven feet, as reported.

The German "gun base" is another form of the wartime scare. There was a time when that day was thought lost when somebody did not find and report a concrete gun base somewhere. Sometimes the base commanded a citadel, sometimes a canal, sometimes nothing at all, but in every instance the military authorities solemnly went through the motions of investigating it. One real gun base of concrete was found on the Island of Orleans, in the St. Lawrence River, commanding the Quebec fortifications. Its owner, the head of a concrete brick firm that was believed to be manufacturing a peacetime product on the island, was interned. But most of the gun bases found elsewhere were of an innocent character.

One gentleman with German connections has a beautiful summer home on Lake St. Louis near Montreal, and on his place is a tennis court of concrete. Workmen who had been engaged in the building of this court a year before war broke out, came forward last summer and declared that the concrete was seven feet deep, and that the thing could not possibly have been intended for a tennis court. The military authorities investigated, and found that the seven feet meant seven inches.

These are but a few instances culled from the mass of spy stories. They are typical of hundreds of others, perhaps of thousands. But it is likely that the best canard of the war in Canada will remain the story of the two submarines which Premier Sir Richard McBride of British Columbia purchased at the outset of the war from an American firm in Seattle. The story has not been published in Canada, and it is not at all likely that it will be, at least until the close of the war.

In the early weeks of the war, when a trio of German cruisers were roaming about in the Pacific, there was something more than uneasiness in the coast towns of British Columbia. Vancouver and Victoria expected to wake up some morning and find shells exploding in their midst.

A Seattle firm had just completed the building of two submarines for a South American republic, and Sir Richard McBride was commissioned to purchase these craft for the Government of Canada. The purchase was made. To this point the story is ancient history.

But on a certain night crews from the boat-building concern brought the two submarines to a point in the straits of Juan de Fuca, where the imaginary line dividing Canadian from American waters is supposed to lie, and here two crews of British bluejackets took possession. They headed the submarines for the fortified harbor of Esquimalt, just outside Victoria.

With the German cruisers hovering about the coast, there was activity and wakefulness in the harbor of Esquimalt. Every battery was fully manned, every gun ready for action. Then one morning a tug galloped into the narrow harbor, and as it passed under the guns of the outermost battery its captain, standing all dishevelled on the deck, screamed to those on shore, "German torpedo boats coming! They're not half a mile out, steaming full speed."

The guns of Esquimalt were laid for the half-mile range, and there was more excitement in that crowd of new gunners than they would have liked to admit. The officer who commanded the forts told afterwards that he did not know why he had not given the command to fire. Perhaps he was too excited, perhaps he had a presentiment.

The guns were laid for the quarter-mile, and there, almost buried in the great waves their speed stirred up, came two low, menacing craft, tearing through the water, straight for the entrance to the harbor. They were so close in that they would have been powerless to harm the forts before being blown out of the water by the shore guns. Instead of firing the batteries trained their guns on the two vessels, the grim muzzles moving as the ships moved, following them in.

Then all at once from the deck of one of the boats there floated a tiny white signal, a handkerchief flag of truce. Then the British ensign went up from the decks, and finally the craft were seen to be two submarines, steaming awash.



A practical joker, flying a kite from his automobile, had the people of the countryside seeing "aeroplanes."

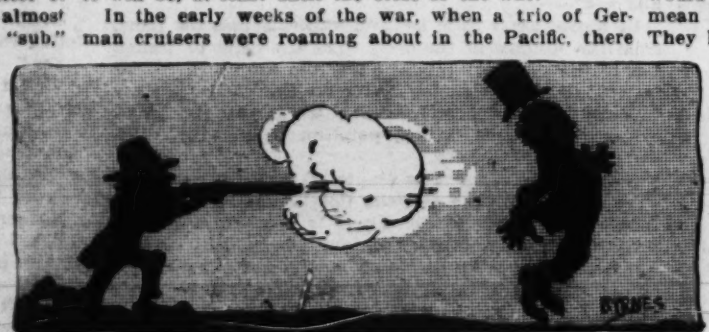
Some half hour later came word from the proper authorities that the garrison might expect two British submarines to arrive that day. All that saved the country the loss of its entire underwater fleet was the indecision of an officer!

The Canadian spy excitement is only a reflex of the feeling in Europe where the excellence of the German secret information service has been so often demonstrated. What the spy system had been to Germany in the war of 1870 was so well known in France that it is not surprising that the new spy fear should amount to hysteria.

It was a common belief that at least one German secret agent could be found in every village of importance and all the other villagers were imbued with the idea that they must search the spy out and expose him or the whole country would be ruined. The search was carried out with more diligence than shrewdness in most cases and thousands of innocent men and women were subjected to unwelcome police surveillance. However, the French proceeded pretty much upon the plan of the old schoolmasters who thrashed all his boys so he would be sure to get the guilty one. They undoubtedly did get many of the guilty ones.

It is not probable, however, that the practical joker who sent up kites to spread a fear of hostile aeroplanes would have much luck anywhere in Europe. It would mean too unpleasant consequences if he were caught. They have a summary way of dealing with spies over there. It's the briefest possible interval between arrest and the firing squad, and they haven't time to waste figuring out jokes.

It is the uniform policy in all the warring countries for resident aliens to register themselves with the police so that they can be removed to concentration camps or kept under observation whenever it is desired. This is an arrangement which the wise foreigner always takes advantage of, for while it greatly limits his freedom of action it also frees him from a great deal of spy suspicion. As a matter of fact, many of the secret agents of any foreign government are relatively of small importance to the whole organization.



Military guards have a reckless habit of shooting if they see anybody late at night.

THE HIDING OF BLACK BILL

By O. HENRY

A LANK, strong, red-faced man with a Wellington beak and small, fiery eyes tempered by flaxen lashes, sat on the station platform at Los Pinos swinging his legs to and fro. At his side sat another man, fat, melancholy, and seedy, who seemed to be his friend. They had the appearance of men to whom life had appeared as a reversible coat—seamy on both sides. "Ain't seen you in about four years, Ham," said the seedy man. "Which way you been traveling?"

"Texas," said the red-faced man. "It was too cold in Alaska for me. And I found it warm in Texas. I'll tell you about one hot spell I went through there.

"One morning I steps off the International at a water-tank and lets it go on without me. 'Twas a ranch country, and fuller of spite-houses than New York City. Only out there they build 'em 20 miles away, so you can't smell what they've got for dinner, instead of running 'em up two inches from their neighbors' windows.

"There wasn't any roads in sight, so I footed it 'cross country. The grass was shoe-top deep, and the mesquite timber looked just like a peach orchard. It was so much like a gentleman's private estate that every minute you expected a kennelful of bulldogs to run out and bite you. But I must have walked 20 miles before I came in sight of a ranch-house. It was a little one, about as big as an elevated-railroad station.

"There was a little man in a white shirt and brown overalls under a tree in front of the door.

"'Greetings,' says I. 'Any refreshment, welcome, emoluments, or even work for a comparative stranger?'

"'Oh, come in,' says he in a refined tone. 'Sit down on that stool, please. I didn't hear your horse coming.'

"'He isn't near enough yet.' says I. 'I walked. I don't want to be a burden but I wonder if you have three or four gallons of water handy.'

"'You do look pretty dusty,' says he; 'but our bathing arrangements'——

"'It's a drink I want,' says I. 'Never mind the dust that's on the outside.'

"He gets me a dipper of water out of a red jar hanging up, and then goes on:

"'Do you want work?'

"'For a time,' says I. 'This is a rather quiet section of the country, isn't it?'

"'It is,' says he. 'Sometimes—so I have been told—one sees no human being pass for weeks at a time. I've been here only a month. I bought the ranch from an old settler who wanted to move farther West.'

"'It suits me,' says I. 'Quiet and retirement are good for a man sometimes. And I need a job. I can tend bar, salt mines, lecture, float stock, do a little middle-weight slugging, and play the piano.'

"'Can you herd sheep?' asked the little ranchman.

"'Do you mean have a heard sheep?' says I.

"'Can you herd 'em—take charge of a flock of 'em?' says he.

"'Oh,' says I, 'now I understand. You mean chase 'em around and bark at 'em like collie dogs. 'Well, I might,' says I. 'I've never exactly done any sheep-herding, but I've often seen 'em from car windows masticating daisies, and they don't look dangerous.'

"'I'm short a herder,' says the ranchman. 'You never can depend on the Mexicans. I've only got two flocks. You may take out my bunch of muttons—there are only 800 of 'em—in the morning, if you like. The pay is $12 a month and your rations furnished. You camp in a tent on the prairie with your sheep. You do your own cooking, but wood and water are brought to your camp. It's an easy job.'

"I'm on,' says I. 'I'll take the job even if I have to garland my brow and hold on to a crook and wear a loose-effect and play on a pipe like the shepherds do in pictures.'

"So the next morning the little ranchman helps me drive the flock of muttons from the corral to about two miles out and let 'em graze on a little hillside on the prairie. He gives me a lot of instructions about not letting bunches of them stray off from the herd, and driving them down to a water-hole to drink at noon.

"'I'll bring out your tent and camping outfit and rations in the buckboard before night,' says he.

"'Fine,' says I. 'And don't forget the rations. Nor the camping outfit. And be sure to bring the tent. Your name's Zollicoffer, ain't it?'

"'My name,' says he, 'is Henry Ogden.'

"'All right, Mr. Ogden,' says I. 'Mine is Mr. Percival Saint Clair.'

"I herded sheep for five days on the Rancho Chiquito; and then the wool entered my soul. That getting next to Nature certainly got next to me. I was lonesomer than Crusoe's goat. I've seen a lot of persons more entertaining as companions than those sheep were. I'd drive 'em to the corral and pen 'em every evening, and then cook my cornbread and mutton and coffee, and lie down in a tent the size of a table-cloth, and listen to the coyotes and whippoorwills singing around the camp.

"The fifth evening after I had corralled my costly but uncongenial muttons, I walked over to the ranch-house and stepped in the door.

"'Mr. Ogden,' says I, 'you and me have got to get sociable. Sheep are all very well to dot the landscape and furnish $8 cotton suitings for man, but for table-talk and fireside companions they rank along with 5-o'clock teazers. If you've got a deck of cards, or a parcheesi outfit, or a game of authors, get 'em out, and let's get on a mental basis. I've got to do something in an intellectual line, if it's only to knock somebody's brains out.'

"This Henry Ogden was a peculiar kind of ranchman. He wore finger-rings and a big gold watch and careful neckties. And his face was calm, and his nose-spectacles was kept very shiny. I saw once, in Muskogee, an outlaw hung for murdering six men, who was a dead ringer for him. But I knew a preacher in Arkansas that you would have taken to be his brother. I didn't care much for him either way; what I wanted was some fellowship and communion with holy saints or lost sinners—anything sheepless would do.

"'Well, Saint Clair,' says he, laying down the book he was reading, 'I guess it must be pretty lonesome for you at first. And I don't deny that it's monotonous for me. Are you sure you corralled your sheep so they won't stray out?'

"'They're shut up as tight as the jury of a millionaire murderer,' says I. 'And I'll be back with them long before they'll need their trained nurse.'

"So Ogden digs up a deck of cards, and we play casino. After five days and nights of my sheep-camp, it was like a toot on Broadway. When I caught big casino I felt as excited as if I had made a million in Trinity. And when H. O. loosened up a little and told the story about the lady in the Pullman car I laughed for five minutes.

"That showed what a comparative thing life is. A man may see so much that he'd be bored to turn his head to look at a $3,000,000 fire or Joe Weber or the Adriatic Sea. But let him herd sheep for a spell, and you'll see him splitting his ribs laughing at 'Curfew Shall



"I've seen a lot of persons more entertaining companions than those sheep were."

Not Ring Tonight,' or really enjoying himself playing cards with ladies.

"By-and-by Ogden gets out a decanter of Bourbon, and then there is a total eclipse of sheep.

"'Do you remember reading in the papers, about a month ago,' says he, 'about a train holdup on the M., K. & T.? The express agent was shot through the shoulder, and about $15,000 in currency taken. And it's said that only one man did the job.'

"'Seems to me I do,' says I. 'But such things happen so often they don't linger long in the human Texas mind Did they overtake, overhaul, seize, or lay hands upon the despoiler?'

"'He escaped,' says Ogden. 'And I was just reading in a paper today that the officers have tracked him down into this part of the country. It seems the bills the robber got were all the first issue of currency to the Second National Bank of Espinosa City. And so they've followed the trail where they've been spent, and it leads this way.'

"Ogden pours out some more Bourbon, and shoves me the bottle.

"'I imagine,' says I, after ingurgitating another modicum of the royal booze, 'that it wouldn't be at all a disingenuous idea for a train robber to run down into this part of the country to hide for a spell. A sheep ranch, now,' says I, 'would be the finest kind of a place. Who'd ever expect to find such a desperate character among these song-birds and muttons and wild flowers? And, by the way,' says I, kind of looking H. Ogden over, 'was there any description mentioned of this single-handed terror? Was his lineaments or height and thickness of teeth filings or style of habiliments set forth in print?'

"'Why, no,' says Ogden; 'they say nobody got a good sight of him because he wore a mask. But they know it was a train-robber called Black Bill, because he always works alone and because he dropped a handkerchief in the express car that had his name on it.'

"'All right,' says I. 'I approve of Black Bill's retreat to the sheep ranges. I guess they won't find him.'

"'There's $1000 reward for his capture,' says Ogden.

"'I don't need that kind of money,' says I, looking Mr. Sheepman straight in the eye. 'The $12 a month you pay me is enough. I need a rest, and I can save up until I get enough to pay my fare to Texarkana, where my widowed mother lives. If Black Bill,' I goes on, looking significantly at Ogden, 'was to have come down this way—say, a month ago—and bought a little sheep ranch, and'——

"'Stop,' says Ogden, getting out of his chair and looking pretty vicious. 'Do you mean to insinuate'——

"'Nothing,' says I; 'no insinuations. I'm stating a hypodermical case. I say, if Black Bill had come down here and bought a sheep ranch and hired me to Little-Boy-Blue 'em and treated me square and friendly, as you've done, he'd never have anything to fear from me. A man is a man, regardless of any complications he may have with sheep or railroad trains. Now you know where I stand.'

"Ogden looks black as camp coffee for nine seconds, and then he laughs, amused.

"'You'll do, Saint Clair,' says he. 'If I was Black Bill I wouldn't be afraid to trust you. Let's have a game or two of seven-up tonight. That is, if you don't mind playing with a train robber.'

"'I've told you,' says I, 'my oral sentiments, 'and there's no strings to 'em.'

"While I was shuffling after the first hand, I asks Ogden, as if the idea was a kind of a casualty, where he was from.

"'Oh,' says he, 'from the Mississippi Valley.'

"'That's a nice little place,' says I. 'I've often stopped over there. But didn't you find the sheets a little damp and the food poor? Now, I hail,' says I, 'from the Pacific Slope. Ever put up there?'

"'Too drafty,' says Ogden. 'But if you're ever in the Middle West just mention my name, and you'll get foot-warmers and dripped coffee.'

"'Well,' says I, 'I wasn't exactly fishing for your private telephone number and the middle name of your aunt that carried off the Cumberland Presbyterian minister. It don't matter. I just want you to know you are safe in the hands of your shepherd. Now, don't play hearts on spades, and don't get nervous.'

"'Still harping,' says Ogden, laughing again. 'Don't you suppose, I'd put a Winchester bullet into you and stop my nervousness, if I had any?'

"'Not any,' says I. 'A man who's got the nerve to hold up a train single-handed wouldn't do a trick like that. I've knocked about enough to know that them are the kind of men who put a value on a friend. Not that I can claim being a friend of yours, Mr. Ogden,' says I, 'being only your sheep-herder; but under more expeditious circumstances we might have been.'

"'Forget the sheep temporarily, I beg,' says Ogden, 'and cut for deal.'

"About four days afterward, while my muttons was nooning on the water-hole and I deep in the interstices of making a pot of coffee, up rides softly on the grass a mysterious person in the garb of the being he wished to represent. He was dressed somewhere between a Kansas City detective, Buffalo Bill, and the town dog-catcher of Baton Rouge. His chin and eye wasn't molded on fighting lines, so I knew he was only a scout.

"'Herdin' sheep?' he asks me.

"'Well,' says I, 'to a man of your evident gumptional endowments, I wouldn't have the nerve to state that I am engaged in decorating old bronzes or oiling bicycle sprockets.'

"'You don't talk like or look like a sheep-herder to me,' says he.

"'But you talk like what you look like to me,' says I.

"And then he asks me who I was working for, and I shows him Rancho Chiquito, two miles away, in the shadow of a low hill, and he tells me he's a Deputy Sheriff.

"'There's a train robber called Black Bill supposed to be somewhere in these parts,' says the scout. 'He's been traced as far as San Antonio, and maybe farther. Have you seen or heard of any strangers around here during the past month?'

"'I have not,' says I, 'except a report of one over at the Mexican quarters of Loomis' ranch, on the Frio.'

"What do you know about him?' asks the deputy.

"'He's three days old,' says I.

"'What kind of a looking man is the man you work for?' he asks. 'Does old George Ramey own this place yet? He's run sheep here for the last 10 years, but never had no success.'

"'The old man has sold out and gone West,' I tells him. 'Another sheep fancier bought him out about a month ago.'

"'What kind of a looking man is he?' asks the deputy again.

"'Oh,' says I, 'a big, fat kind of a Dutchman with long whiskers and blue specs. I don't think he knows a sheep from a ground-squirrel. I guess old George soaked him pretty well on the deal,' says I.

"After indulging himself in a lot more noncommunicative information and two-thirds of my dinner, the deputy rides away.

"That night I mentions the matter to Ogden.

"'They're drawing the tendrils of the octopus around Black Bill,' says I. And then I told him about the Deputy Sheriff, and how I'd described him to the deputy, and what the deputy said about the matter.

"'Oh, well,' says Ogden, 'let's don't borrow any of Black Bill's troubles. We've a few of our own. Get the Bourbon out of the cupboard and we'll drink to his health—unless,' says he, with his little cackling laugh, 'you're prejudiced against train robbers.'

"'I'll drink,' says I, 'to any man who's a friend to a friend. And I believe that Black Bill,' I goes on, 'would be that. So here's to Black Bill, and may he have good luck.'

"And both of us drank.

"About two weeks later comes shearing-time. The sheep had to be driven up to the ranch, and a lot of frowzy-headed Mexicans would snip the fur off of them with back-action scissors. So the afternoon before the barbers were to come I hustled my underdone muttons over the hill, across the dell, down by the winding brook, and up to the ranch-house, where I penned 'em in a corral and bade 'em my nightly adieus.

"I went from there to the ranch-house. I find H. Ogden, Esquire, lying asleep on his little cot bed. I guess he had been overcome by anti-insomnia or diswakefulness or some of the diseases peculiar to the sheep business. His mouth and vest were open, and he breathed like a secondhand bicycle pump. I looked at him and gave vent to just a few musings. 'Imperial Caesar,'

The Teeth of the Tiger (Continued)

CHAPTER VII.

Shakspeare's Works, Volume VIII.

IT was the first time that Don Luis had set foot in Mlle. Levasseur's room. Engrossed though he was with other matters, he felt its charms. It was very simply furnished: some old mahogany chairs and armchairs, a plain, Empire writing table, a round table with one heavy, massive leg, and some book shelves. But the bright color of the linen curtains enlivened the room. On the walls hung reproductions of famous pictures, drawings of sunny buildings and landscapes, Italian villas, Sicilian temples. * * *

The girl remained standing. Don Luis kept silent for some little time. It was strange and it annoyed him to feel it, but he experienced a certain embarrassment in the presence of this woman, against whom he was inwardly bringing the most serious charges. And, not daring to say plainly what he thought, he began:

"You know what happened in this house this morning?"

"This morning?"

"Yes, when I had finished speaking on the telephone."

"I know now. I heard it from the servants, from the butler."

"Not before?"

"How could I have known earlier?"

She was lying. It was impossible that she should be speaking the truth. And yet n what a calm voice she had replied!

He went on:

"I will tell you, in a few words, what happened. I was leaving the telephone box, when the iron curtain concealed in the upper part of the wall fell in front of me. After making sure that there was nothing to be done, I simply resolved, as I had the telephone by me, to call in the assistance of one of my friends. I rang up Maj. d'Astrignac. He came at once and, with the help of the butler, let me out. Is that what you heard?"

"Yes, monsieur. I had gone to my room, which explains why I knew nothing of the incident or of Maj. d'Astrignac's visit."

"Very well. It appears, however, from what I learned when I was released, that the butler, and, for that matter, everybody in the house including yourself, knew of the existence of that iron curtain."

"Certainly."

"And how did you know it?"

"Through Baron Malonyi. He told me that, during the Revolution, his great-grandmother, on the mother's side, who then occupied this house and whose husband was guillotined, remained hidden in that recess for 13 months. At that time the curtain was covered with woodwork similar to that of the room."

"It's a pity that I wasn't informed of it, for, after all, I was very nearly crushed to death."

This possibility did not seem to move the girl. She said:

"It would be a good thing to look at the mechanism and see why it became unfastened. It's all very old and works badly."

"The mechanism works perfectly. I tested it. An accident is not enough to account for it."

"Who could have done it, if it was not an accident?"

"Some enemy whom I am unable to name."

"He would have been seen."

"There was only one person who could have seen him—yourself. You happened to pass through my study as I was telephoning and I heard your exclamation of fright at the news about Mme. Fauville."

"Yes, it gave me a shock. I pity the woman so very much, whether she is guilty or not."

"And, as you were close to the arch, with your hand within reach of the spring, the presence of an evildoer would not have escaped your notice."

She did not lower her eyes. A slight flush overspread her face, and she said:

"Yes, I should at least have met him, for, from what I gather, I went out a few seconds before the accident."

"Quite so," he said. "But what is so curious and unlikely is that you did not hear the loud noise of the curtain falling, nor my shouts and all the uproar I created."

"I must have closed the door of the study by that time. I heard nothing."

"Then I am bound to presume that there was someone hidden in my study at that moment, and that this person is a confederate of the ruffians who committed the two murders on the Boulevard Suchet; for the Prefect of Police has just discovered under the cushions of my sofa the half of a walking stick belonging to one of those ruffians."

She wore an air of great surprise. This new incident seemed really to be quite unknown to her. He came nearer and, looking her straight in the eyes, said:

"You must at least admit that it's strange."

"What's strange?"

"This series of events, all directed against me. Yesterday, that draft of a letter which I found in the courtyard—the draft of the article published in the Echo de France. This morning, first the crash of the iron curtain, just as I was passing under it, next, the discovery of that walking stick, and then, a moment ago, the poisoned water bottle"——

She nodded her head and murmured:

"Yes, yes—there is an array of facts"——

Perenna's eyes narrowed.

"The accomplice is here, in this house, in the midst of everything, by my side. He is lying in wait for me. He is following every step I take. He is living in my shadow. He is waiting for the time and place to strike me. Well, I have had enough of it. I want to know, I will know, and I shall know. Who is he?"

The girl had moved back a little way and was leaning against the round table. He took another step forward and, with his eyes still fixed on hers, looking in that immobile face for a quivering sign of fear or anxiety, he repeated, with greater violence:

"Who is the accomplice? Who in the house has sworn to take my life?"

"I don't know," she said. "I don't know. Perhaps there is no plot, as you think, but just a series of chance coincidences"——

He felt inclined to say to her, with his habit of adopting a familiar tone toward those whom he regarded as his adversaries:

"You're lying, dearie, you're lying. The accomplice is yourself, my beauty."

But it was impossible for him to treat her in this fashion; and he was so much exasperated that he took her fingers and twisted them violently, while his look and his whole attitude accused the girl even more forcibly than the bitterest words.

He mastered himself and released his grip. The girl freed herself with a quick movement, indicating repulsion and hatred. Don Luis said:

"Very well. I will question the servants. If necessary I shall dismiss any whom I suspect."

"No, don't do that," she said eagerly. "You mustn't. I know them all."

Was she going to defend them? Was she yielding to a scruple of conscience at the moment when her obstinacy and duplicity were on the point of causing her to sacrifice a set of servants whose conduct she knew to be beyond reproach? Don Luis received the impression that the glance which she threw at him contained an appeal for pity. But pity for whom?

They were silent for a long time. Don Luis, standing a few steps away from her, thought of the photograph, and was surprised to find in the real woman all the beauty of the portrait, all that beauty which he had not observed hitherto, but which now struck him as a revelation. Was it possible that this woman should be a murderess, a poisoner?



"Look—on the table—that letter."

He said:

"I forget what you told me that your Christian name was. But the name you gave me was not the right one."

"Yes it was," she said.

"Your name is Florence—Florence Levasseur."

She started.

"What! Who told you? Florence? How do you know?"

"Here is your photograph, with your name on it almost illegible."

"Oh!" she said, amazed at seeing the picture. "I can't believe it! Where does it come from? Where did you get it from?" And, suddenly, "It was the Prefect of Police who gave it to you, was it not? Yes, it was he, I'm sure of it. I am sure that this photograph is to identify me and that they are looking for me, for me, too. And it's you again, it's you again"——

"Have no fear," he said. "The print only wants a few touches to alter the face beyond recognition. I will make them. Have no fear."

She was no longer listening to him. She gazed at the photograph with all her concentrated attention and murmured:

"I was 20 years old. * * * I was living in Italy. Dear me, how happy I was on the day when it was taken! And how happy I was when I saw my portrait! * * * I used to think myself pretty in those days. * * * And then it disappeared. * * * It was stolen from me, like other things that had already been stolen from me, at that time"——

And, sinking her voice still lower, speaking her name as if she were addressing some other woman, some unhappy friend, she repeated:

"Florence. * * * Florence"——

Tears streamed down her cheeks.

"She is not one of those who kill," thought Don Luis. "I can't believe that she is an accomplice. And yet—and yet"——

He moved away from her and walked across the room, from the window to the door. The drawings of Italian landscapes on the wall attracted his attention. Next, he read the titles of the books on the shelves. They represented French and foreign works, novels, plays, essays, volumes of poetry, pointing to a really cultivated and varied taste.

He saw Racine next to Dante, Stendhal near Edgar Allen Poe, Montaigne between Goethe and Virgil. And suddenly, with that extraordinary faculty which enabled him, in any collection of objects, to perceive details which he did not at once take in, he noticed that one of the volumes of an English edition of Shakspeare's works, did not look exactly like the others. There was something peculiar about the red morocco back, something stiff, without the cracks and creases which show that a book has been used.

It was the eighth volume. He took it out, taking care not to be heard.

He was not mistaken. The volume was a sham, a mere set of boards surrounding a hollow space that formed a box and thus provided a regular hiding place; and, inside this book he caught sight of plain note paper, envelopes of different kinds and some sheets of ordinary ruled paper, all of the same size and looking as if they had been taken from a writing pad.

And the appearance of these ruled sheets struck him at once. He remembered the look of the paper on which the article for the Echo de France had been drafted. The ruling was identical, and the shape and size appeared to be the same.

On lifting the sheets one after the other, he saw, on the last but one, a series of lines consisting of words and figures in pencil, like notes hurriedly jotted down. He read:

"House on the Boulevard Suchet.

"First letter. Night of 15 April.

"Second. Night of 25th.

"Third and fourth. Nights of 5 and 15 May.

"Fifth and explosion. Night of 25 May."

And, while noting first that the date of the first night was that of the actual day, and next that all these dates followed one another at intervals of 10 days, he remarked the resemblance between the writing and the writing of the rough draft.

The draft was in a notebook in his pocket. He was therefore in a position to verify the similarity of the two handwritings and of the two ruled sheets of paper. He took his notebook and opened it. The draft was not there.

"Gad," he snarled, "but this is a bit too thick!"

And, at the same time, he remembered clearly that, when he was telephoning to Mazeroux in the morning, the notebook was in the pocket of his overcoat and that he had left his overcoat on a chair near the telephone box. Now, at that moment Mlle. Levasseur, for no reason, was roaming about the study. What was she doing there?

"Oh, the play-actress!" thought Perenna, raging within himself. "She was humbugging me. Her tears, her air of frankness, her tender memories; all bunkum! She belongs to the same stock and the same gang as Marie Fauville and Gaston Sauverand. Like them, she is an accomplished liar and actress from her slightest gesture down to the least inflection of her innocent voice."

He was on the point of having it all out with her and confounding her. This time the proof was undeniable. Dreading an inquiry which might have brought the facts home to her, she had been unwilling to leave the draft of the article in the adversary's hands.

How could he doubt, from this moment, that she was the accomplice employed by the people who were working the Mornington affair and trying to get rid of him? Had he not every right to suppose that she was directing the sinister gang, and that, commanding the others with her audacity and her intelligence, she was leading them toward the obscure goal at which they were aiming?

It was quite possible that, on the night of the double crime, she was among the murderers of Hippolyte Fauville and his son. It was quite possible that she had taken part in the murders, and even that the poison had been injected into the victims by her hand, by that little, white, slender hand which he saw resting against the golden hair.

A shudder passed through him. He had softly put back the paper in the book, restored the book in its place and moved nearer to the girl.

All of a sudden, he caught himself studying the lower part of her face, the shape of her jaw! Almost against his will, with personal anguish mingled with torturing curiosity, he stared and stared, ready to force open those closed lips and to seek the reply to the terrifying problem that suggested itself to him.

Those teeth, those teeth which he did not see, were not they the teeth that had left the incriminating marks in the fruit? Which were the teeth of the tiger, the teeth of the wild beast—these or the other woman's?

Himself astonished at the feelings that agitated him, fearing lest he should betray himself, he preferred to cut short the interview and, going up to the girl, he said to her, in an imperious and aggressive tone:

"I wish all the servants in the house to be discharged. You will give them their wages, pay them such compensation as they ask for, and see that they leave today, definitely. Another staff of servants will arrive this evening. You will be here to receive them."

She made no reply. He went away, taking with him the uncomfortable impression that had lately marked his relations with Florence. The atmosphere between them always remained heavy and oppressive. Their words never seemed to express the private thoughts of either of them; and their actions did not correspond with the words spoken. Did not the circumstances logically demand the immediate dismissal of Florence Levasseur as well? Yet Don Luis did not so much as think of it.

Returning to his study, he at once rang up Mazeroux and, lowering his voice so as not to let it reach the next room, he said:

"Is that you, Mazeroux?"

"Yes."

"Has the prefect placed you at my disposal?"

"Yes."

"Well, tell him that I have sacked all my servants and that I have given you their names and instructed you to have an active watch kept on them. We must look among them for Sauverand's accomplice. Another thing: ask the Prefect of Police to give you and me permission to spend the night at Hippolyte Fauville's house."

"Nonsense! At the house on the Boulevard Suchet?"

"Yes, I have every reason to believe that something's going to happen there."

"What sort of thing?"

"I don't know. But something is bound to take place. And I insist on being at it. Is it arranged?"

"Right, Chief. Unless you hear to the contrary, I'll

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says I, 'asleep in such a way, might shut his mouth and keep the wind away.'

"A man asleep is certainly a sight to make angels weep. What good is all his brain, muscle, backing, nerve, influence and family connections? He's at the mercy of his enemies, and more so of his friends. And he's about as beautiful as a cab-horse leaning against the Metropolitan Opera House at 12:30 a. m. dreaming of the plains of Arabia. Now, a woman asleep you regard as different. No matter how she looks, you know it's better for all hands for her to be that way.

"Well, I took a drink of Bourbon and one for Ogden, and started in to be comfortable while he was taking his nap. He had some books on his table on indigenous subjects, such as Japan and drainage and physical culture —and some tobacco, which seemed more to the point.

"After I'd smoked a few, and listened to the sartorial breathing of H. O., I happened to look out the window toward the shearing pens, where there was a kind of a road coming up from a kind of a road across a kind of a creek farther away.

"I saw five men riding up to the house. All of 'em carried guns across their saddles, and among 'em was the deputy that had talked to me at my camp.

"They rode up careful, in open formation, with their guns ready. I set apart with my eye the one I opinionated to be the boss muck-raker of this law-and-order cavalry.

"'Good evening, gents,' says I. 'Won't you 'light, and tie your horses?'

"The boss rides up close and swings his gun over till the opening in it seems to cover my whole front elevation.

"'Don't you move your hands none,' says he, 'till you and me indulge in a adequate amount of necessary conversation.'

"'I will not,' says I. 'I am no deaf mute, and therefore will not have to disobey your injunctions in replying.'

"'We are on the lookout,' says he, 'for Black Bill, the man that held up the Katy for $15,000 in May. We are searching the ranches and everybody on 'em. What is your name, and what do you do on this ranch?'

"'Captain,' says I, 'Percival Saint Clair is my occupation, and my name is sheep-herder. I've got my flock of veals—no, muttons—penned here tonight. The shearers are coming tomorrow to give them a haircut—with baa-a-rum, I suppose.'

"'Where's the boss of this ranch?' the Captain of the gang asks me.

"'Wait just a minute, Cap'n,' says I. 'Wasn't there a kind of a reward offered for the capture of this desperate character you have referred to in your preamble?'

"'There's a thousand dollars reward offered,' says the Captain, 'but it's for his capture and conviction. There don't seem to be no provision made for an informer.'

"'It looks like it might rain in a day or so,' says I, in a tired way, looking up at the cerulean blue sky.

"'If you know anything about the locality, disposition, or secretiveness of this here Black Bill,' says he, in a severe dialect, 'you are amiable to the law in not reporting it.'

"'I heard a fence-rider say,' says I, in a desultory kind of voice, 'that a Mexican told a cowboy named Jake over at Pidgin's store on the Nueces that he heard that Black Bill had been seen in Matamoras by a sheepman's cousin two weeks ago.'

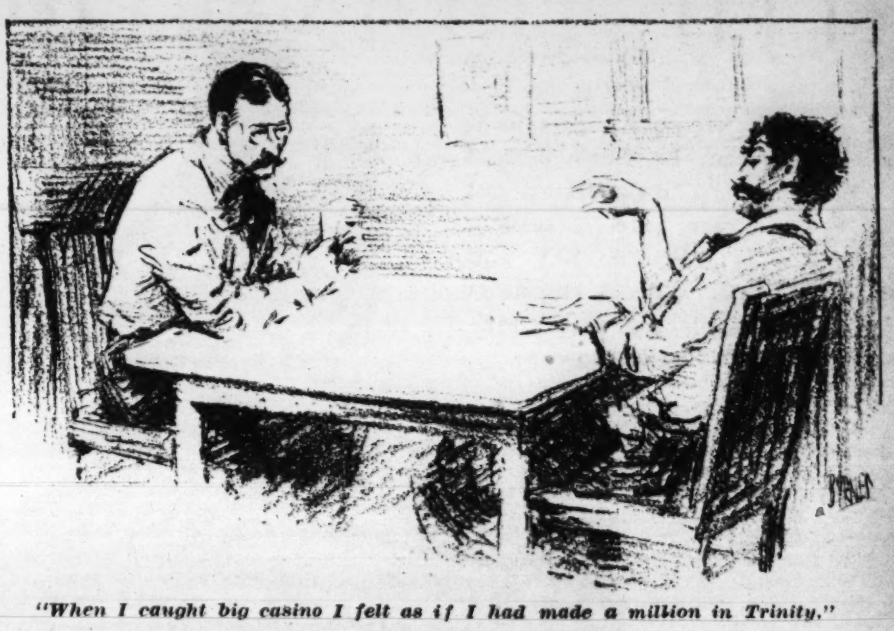
"'Tell you what I'll do, Tight Mouth,' says the Captain, after looking me over for bargains. 'If you put us on so we can scoop Black Bill, I'll pay you a hundred dollars out of my own—out of our own—pockets. That's liberal,' says he. 'You ain't entitled to anything. Now, what do you say?'

"'Cash down now?' I asks.

"The Captain has a sort of discussion with his helpmates, and they all produce the contents of their pockets for analysis. Out of the general results they figured up $102.30 in cash and $31 worth of plug tobacco.

"'Come nearer, Captain meeo,' says I, 'and listen.' He did so.

"'I am mighty poor and low down in the world,' says I. 'I am working for $12 a month trying to keep a lot of animals together whose only thought seems to be to get asunder. Although,' says I, 'I regard myself as some better than the State of South Dakota, it's a comedown to a man who has heretofore regarded sheep only in the form of chops. I'm pretty far reduced in the world on account of foiled ambitions and rum and a kind of cocktail they made along the P. R. R. all the way from Scranton to Cincinnati—dry gin, French vermouth, one squeeze of a lime, and a good dash of orange bitters. If you're ever up that way, don't fail to let one try you. And, again,' says I, 'I have never yet went back on a friend. I've stayed by 'em when they had plenty, and when adversity's overtaken me I've never forsook 'em.



"When I caught big casino I felt as if I had made a million in Trinity."

"'But,' I goes on, 'this is not exactly the case of a friend. Twelve dollars a month is only bowing acquaintance money. And I do not consider brown beans and cornbread the food of friendship. I am a poor man,' says I, 'and I have a widowed mother in Texarkana. You will find Black Bill,' says I, 'lying asleep in this house on a cot in the room to your right. He's the man you want, as I know from his words and conversation. He was in a way a friend,' I explains, 'and if I was the man I once was the entire product of the mines of Gondola would not have tempted me to betray him. But,' says I, 'every week half of the beans was wormy, and not nigh enough wood in camp.

"'Better go in careful, gentlemen,' says I. 'He seems impatient at times, and when you think of his late professional pursuits one would look for abrupt actions if he was come upon sudden.'

"So the whole posse unmounts and ties their horses, and unlimbers their ammunition and equipments, and tiptoes into the house. And I follows, like Delilah when she set the Philip Steins on to Samson.

"The leader of the posse shakes Ogden and wakes him up. And then he jumps up, and two more of the reward-hunters grabs him. Ogden was mighty tough with all his slimness, and he gives 'em as neat a single-footed tussle against odds as I ever see.

"'What does this mean?' he says, after they had him down.

"'You're scooped in, Mr. Black Bill,' says the Captain. 'That's all.'

"'It's an outrage,' says H. Ogden, madder yet.

"'It was,' says the peace-and-good-will man. 'The Katy wasn't bothering you, and there's a law against monkeying with express packages.'

"And he sits on H. Ogden's stomach and goes through his pockets symptomatically and careful.

"'I'll make you perspire for this,' says Ogden, perspiring some himself. 'I can prove who I am.'

"'So can I,' says the Captain, as he draws from H. Ogden's inside coat pocket a handful of new bills of the Second National Bank of Espinosa City. 'Your regular engraved Tuesdays-and-Fridays visiting card wouldn't have a louder voice in proclaiming your indemnity than this here currency. You can get up now and prepare to go with us and expatiate your sins.'

"H. Ogden gets up and fixes his necktie. He says no more after they have taken the money off of him.

"'A well-greased idea,' says the sheriff captain, admiring, 'to slip off down here and buy a little sheep ranch where the hand of man is seldom heard. It was the slickest hideout I ever see,' says the captain.

"So one of the men goes to the shearing pen and hunts up the other herder, a Mexican they call John Sallies, and he saddles Ogden's horse, and the sheriffs all ride up close around him with their guns in hand, ready to take their prisoner to town.



"Better go in careful, gentlemen," says I.

"Before starting, Ogden puts the ranch in John Sallies' hands and gives him orders about the shearing and where to graze the sheep, just as if he intended to be back in a few days. And a couple of hours afterward one Percival Saint Clair, an ex-sheep herder of the Rancho Chiquito, might have been seen, with a hundred and nine dollars—wages and blood money—in his pocket, riding south on another horse belonging to said ranch."

The red-faced man paused and listened. The whistle of a coming freight train sounded far away among the low hills.

The fat, seedy man at his side sniffed, and shook his frowzy head slowly and dispairingly.

"What is it, Snipy?" asked the other. "Got the blues again?"

"No, I ain't," said the seedy one, sniffing again. "But I don't like your talk. You and me have been friends, off and on, for 15 years; and I never yet knew or heard of you giving anybody up to the law—not no one. And here was a man whose saleratus you had et and at whose table you had played games of cards—if casino can be so called. And yet you inform him to the law and take money for it. It never was like you, I say."

"This H. Ogden," resumed the red-faced man, "through a lawyer, proved himself free by alibis and other legal termalities, as I so heard afterward. He never suffered no harm. He did me favors, and I hated to hand him over."

"How about the bills they found in his pocket?" asked the seedy man.

"I put 'em there," said the red-faced man, "while he was asleep, when I saw the posse riding up. I was Black Bill. Look out, Snipy, here she comes! We'll board her on the bumpers when she takes water at the tank."

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Remarkable Aeroplane View of Hostile Trenches While Fighting Was in Progress

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE FIVE.)

closures are the reserves, ready at a moment's notice to spring to their guns and charge if need be. The water keeps trickling from the walls of the trenches. There is deep silence among the men; they are thinking of home. As long as they stand at their guns, in muddy uniforms and boots, they do not think, but as soon as a few hours' rest comes then they think of home and family.

Remnants of burst shells, rain water, barbed wire and bodies that have lain out there for weeks, and over there the enemy's trenches, that is all the men see. That is their entire world. It is always the same —a monotony to drive them mad. Thousands of fine, healthy men who could be doing good work are thus engaged.

Death is doing a fine business here. The rats, too, from wrecked French villages nearby are adding to the troubles of the men in the trenches. Added to this is the horrifying shrieks and cry of the ravens. The war is without mercy.

No one who is not at the front has the least cause for complaint. God knows we ask nothing more of those who live in comfort and safety than to look the truth in the face. Death is death, but in these times there are a great deal more horrifying things than death. We have seen Englishmen and Frenchmen, mad as a result of the war, come out of their trenches and deliberately seek death as a relief from it all.

And here death stalks everywhere. The rifle bullets, the shells and the hand grenades—all do their deadly work. Officers and men all feel the hand of death upon them. Even in the villas where the tired soldiers seek a rest, in the woods, in the air or under the earth, everywhere is death. There is no safe place here.

This girdle of death extends through France, Belgium and Alsace, and there are particular spots where hell breaks loose. Now it is at Ypres, then at Souchez and Vimy, then in the Champagne region or the Argonne. Often for days there is a bombardment, when thousands of shells come crashing into our lines with the regular movement of a sledge hammer. It is then that the trenches are smashed to dust. We are driven from our trenches, but the reserves are ordered forward; they charge in the deadly fire and the trenches are again ours.

It is always the same. France is besieged, and she strives again and again to penetrate this ring of iron. Millions and millions of shells and bombs with asphyxiating gases have been hurled against us, but all to no avail. France's soldiers, brave as they are, can do nothing. Our stone wall stands. Joffre and French did everything in their power to penetrate that wall, but drew back in despair.

This is not a war of man against man. The telephone, the automobile, the railway, the big guns—all have changed the method of warfare. It is now a war of science and chemistry, of brains against brains. The soldier of today is a skilled mechanic who simply aids in operating the gigantic machine of modern warfare. New methods will have to be devised to annihilate this machine, but these methods the enemy has still to discover.

A trench is captured, lost and won again. That is all that happens here, and the siege continues.

The roaring of the shells is constant. Even when lying on his bed of straw the soldier hears them, and then the picture of his home, his wife and family quickly fade away.

The siege continues, and the soldier is at his post, alert, faithful and true. Thus he will stand as long as the Fatherland asks him to—until he falls.

Not for a moment, either by day or night, should we forget these brave and faithful men.

Thousands of the defenders never will go back to their fatherlands, for close behind all the trenches are acres of mounds, each hiding a soldier who died at the call of duty. Usually each grave is marked with some identification number, but often the dead soldier is not identified. As the trenches get closer together the graves behind them grow more numerous.

THE TEETH of THE TIGER

New Adventures of Arsene Lupin

By MAURICE LeBLANC

CHAPTER VI. (Continued)

HE could not forget the cry of terror that escaped Mlle. Levasseur while he was telephoning to Mazeroux, nor the scared expression of her face. Now, it was impossible to attribute that cry and that expression to anything other than the words which he had uttered in reply to Mazeroux:

"What! Mme. Fauville tried to commit suicide!"

He went to his study and examined the arch leading to the telephone box. This arch, which was about six feet wide and very low, had no door, but merely a velvet hanging, which was nearly always drawn up, leaving the arch uncovered. Under the hanging, among the moldings of the cornice, was a button that had only to be pressed to bring down the iron curtain against which he had thrown himself two hours before.

He worked the catch two or three times over, and his experiments proved to him in the most explicit fashion that the mechanism was in perfect order and unable to act without outside intervention. Was he, then, to conclude that the girl had wanted to kill him? But what could be her motive?

All the rest of the morning he lay on the sofa, smoking cigars. He was ill at ease, dissatisfied with himself and with the course of events, not one of which brought him the least glimmer of truth, in fact, all of them seemed to deepen the darkness in which he was battling.

But, at 12 o'clock, just as he had rung for lunch, his butler entered the study with a tray in his hand, and exclaimed, with an agitation which showed that the household was aware of Don Luis' ambiguous position:

"Sir, it's the Prefet of Police!"

Perenna took a card from the tray and read M. Desmalions' name. He went to the window, opened it and, with the aid of the overhead mirror, looked into the Place du Palais-Bourbon. Half a dozen men were walking about. He recognized them. They were his usual watchers, those whom he had got rid of on the evening before and who had come to resume their observation.

M. Desmalions entered without a word. All that he did was to bend his head slightly, with a movement that might be taken for a bow. As for Weber, who was with him, he did not even give himself the trouble to disguise his feelings toward such a man as Perenna.

The silence was prolonged. Don Luis waited patiently. Then, suddenly, the Prefect stopped and said:

"When you left the Boulevard Richard-Wallace, Monsieur, did you go straight home?"

Don Luis did not demur to this cross-examining manner and answered:

"Yes, Monsieur le Prefet."

"Here, to your study?"

"Here to my study."

M. Desmalions paused and then went on:

"I left thirty or forty minutes after you and drove to the police office in my car. There I received this express letter. Read it. You will see that it was handed in at the Bourse at 9:30."

Don Luis took the letter and read the following words, written in capital letters:

"This is to inform you that Gaston Sauverand, after making his escape, rejoined his accomplice Perenna, who, as you know, is none other than Arsene Lupin. Arsene Lupin gave you Sauverand's address in order to get rid of him and to receive the Mornington inheritance. They were reconciled this morning, and Arsene Lupin suggested a safe hiding place to Sauverand. It is easy to prove their meeting and their complicity. Sauverand handed Lupin the half of the walking stick which he had carried away unawares. You will find it under the cushions of a sofa standing between the two windows of Perenna's study."

Don Luis shrugged his shoulders. The letter was absurd; for he had not once left his study. He folded it up quietly and handed it to the Prefect of Police without comment.

The Prefect asked:

"What is your reply to the accusation?"

"None, Monsieur le Prefet."

"Still, it is quite plain and easy to prove or disprove."

"Very easy, indeed, Monsieur le Prefet; the sofa is there between the windows."

M. Desmalions waited two or three seconds and then walked to the sofa and moved the cushions. Under one of them lay the handle end of the walking stick.

Don Luis could not repress a gesture of amazement and anger. However, he mastered himself. After all, there was nothing to prove that this half of a walking stick was really that which had been seen in Gaston Sauverand's hands and which Sauverand had carried away by mistake.

"I have the other half on me," said the Prefect of Police, replying to the unspoken objection. "Deputy Chief Weber himself picked it up on the Boulevard Richard-Wallace. Here it is."

He produced it from the inside pocket of his overcoat and tried it. The ends of the two pieces fitted exactly.

There was a fresh pause. Perenna was confused. By what prodigy had Gaston Sauverand managed, in that short space of 20 minutes, to enter the house and make his way into this room? Even the theory of an accomplice living in the house did not do much to make the phenomenon easier to understand.

"Well!" exclaimed M. Desmalions impatiently, "answer. Defend yourself!"

"No, Monsieur le Prefet, it is not for me to defend myself."

M. Desmalions stamped his foot and growled:

"In that case * * * in that case * * * since you confess * * * since"——

He put his hand on the latch of the window, ready to open it. A whistle, and the detectives would burst in and all would be over.

"Shall I have your inspectors called, Monsieur le Prefet?" asked Don Luis.

M. Desmalions did not reply. He let go the window latch and started walking about the room again. And, suddenly, while Perenna was wondering why he still hesitated, for the second time the Prefect planted himself in front of him, and said:

"And suppose I looked upon the incident of the walking stick as not having occurred, or, rather, as an incident which, while doubtless proving the treachery of your servants, is not able to compromise yourself? Suppose I took only the services which you have already rendered us into consideration? In a word, suppose I left you free?"



It was the eighth volume of Shakspeare. He took it out taking care not to be heard.

Perenna could not help smiling. Notwithstanding the affair of the walking stick and though appearance were all against him, at the moment when everything seemed to be going wrong, things were taking the course which he had prophesied from the start, and which he had mentioned to Mazeroux during the inquiry on the Boulevard Suchet. They wanted him.

"Free?" he asked. "No more supervision? Nobody shadowing my movements?"

"Nobody."

"And what if the press campaign around my name continues, if the papers succeed, by means of certain pieces of tittle-tattle, of certain coincidences, in creating a public outcry, if they call for measures against me?"

"Those measures shall not be taken."

"Then I have nothing to fear?"

"Nothing."

"Will M. Weber abandon his prejudices against me?"

"At any rate, he will act as though he did, won't you, Weber?"

The deputy chief uttered a few grunts which might be taken as an expression of assent; and Don Luis at once exclaimed:

"In that case, Monsieur le Prefet, I am sure of gaining the victory and of gaining it in accordance with the wishes and requirements of the authorities."

And so, by a sudden change in the situation, after a series of exceptional circumstances, the police themselves, bowing before Don Luis Perenna's superior qualities of mind, acknowledging all that he had already done and foreseeing all that he would be able to do, decided to back him up, begging for his assistance, and offering him, so to speak, the command of affairs.

"Do you want any particulars of me?" asked the Prefect of Police.

"Yes, Monsieur le Prefet. The papers spoke of a notebook found in poor Inspector Verot's pocket. Did the notebook contain a clew of any kind?"

"No. Personal notes, lists of disbursements, that's all. Wait, I was forgetting, there was a photograph of a woman, about which I have not yet been able to obtain the least information. Look, here it is."

Perenna took the photograph which the Prefect handed him and gave a start that did not escape M. Desmalions' eye.

"Do you know the lady?"

"No. No, Monsieur le Prefet. I thought I did; but no, there's merely a resemblance, a family likeness, which I will verify if you can leave the photograph with me till this evening."

"Till this evening, yes. When you have done with it, give it back to Sergt. Mazeroux, whom I will order to work in concert with you in everything that relates to the Mornington case."

The interview was now over. The Prefect and Weber went away.

"And now to work!" said Don Luis. "My hands are free, and we shall make things hum."

He called the butler.

"Serve lunch; and ask Mlle. Levasseur to come and speak to me immediately after."

He went to the dining room and sat down, placing on the table the photograph which M. Desmalions had left behind; and, bending over it, he examined it attentively. It was a little faded, a little worn, as photographs have a tendency to become when they lie about in pocketbooks or among papers; but the picture was quite clear. It was the radiant picture of a young woman in evening dress, with bare arms and shoulders, with flowers and leaves in her hair and a smile upon her face.

"Mlle. Levasseur, Mlle. Levasseur," he said. "Is it possible!"

In a corner was a half-obliterated and hardly visible signature. He made out "Florence," the girl's name, no doubt.

He remembered the incident of the iron curtain. He remembered the article in the Echo de France, an article aimed against him, of which he had found a rough draft in his own courtyard. And above all, he thought of the problem of that broken walking stick conveyed into his study.

And, while his mind was striving to read these events clearly, while he tried to settle the part played by Mlle. Levasseur, his eyes remained fixed upon the photograph and he gazed absent-mindedly at the pretty lines of the mouth, the charming smile, the graceful curve of the neck, the admirable sweep of the shoulders.

The door opened suddenly and Mlle. Levasseur burst into the room. Perenna, who had dismissed the butler was raising to his lips a glass of water which he had just filled for himself. She sprang forward, seized his arm, snatched the glass from him and flung it on the carpet, where it smashed to pieces.

"Have you drunk any of it? Have you drunk any of it?" she gasped, in a choking voice.

He replied:

"No, not yet. Why?"

She stammered:

"The water in that bottle * * * the water in that bottle"——

"Well?"

"It's poisoned."

He leapt from his chair and, in his turn, gripped her arm fiercely:

"What's that? Poisoned! Are you certain? Speak!"

The girl was silent. He raised his voice in command:

"Answer me! Are you certain?"

"No * * * It was an idea that entered my head—a presentiment * * * certain coincidences"——

It was as though she regretted her words and now tried to withdraw them.

"Come, come," he cried. "I want to know the truth. You're not certain that the water in this bottle is poisoned?"

"No * * * it's possible"——

"It's easy to make sure," said Perenna, putting out his hand for the water bottle.

She was quicker than he, seized it and, with one blow, broke it against the table.

"What are you doing?" he said angrily.

"I made a mistake. And so there is no need to attach any importance"——

Don Luis hurriedly left the dining room. By his orders, the water which he drank was drawn from a filter that stood in a pantry at the end of the passage leading from the dining room to the kitchens beyond. He ran to it and took from a shelf a bowl which he filled with water from the filter. Then, continuing to follow the passage, which at this spot branched off toward the yard, he called Mirza, the puppy, who was playing by the stables.

"Here," he said, putting the bowl in front of her.

The puppy began to drink. But she stopped almost at once and stood motionless, with her paws tense and stiff. A shiver passed through the little body. The dog gave a hoarse groan, spun round two or three times, and fell.

"She's dead," he said, after touching the animal.

Mlle. Levasseur had joined him. He turned to her and rapped out:

"You were right about the poison—and you knew it. How did you know it?"

All out of breath, she checked the beating of her heart and answered:

"I saw the other puppy drinking in the pantry. She's dead. I told the coachman and the chauffeur. They're over there in the stable. And I ran to warn you."

"In that case, there was no doubt about it. Why did you say that you were not certain that the water was poisoned, when"——

The chauffeur and the coachman were coming out of the stables. Leading the girl away, Perenna said:

"We must talk about this. We'll go to your rooms."

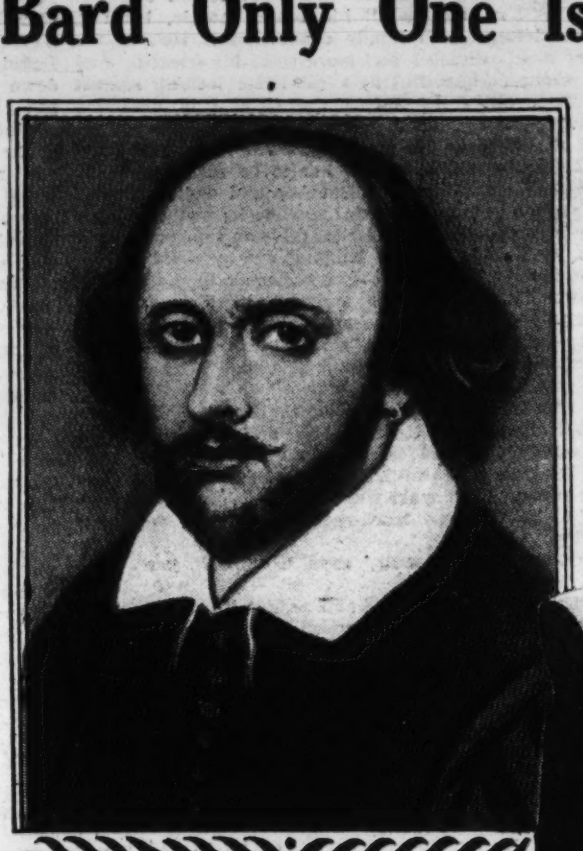
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Statue and monument in the gardens of the Shakespeare Memorial, Stratford-on-Avon, by Lord Ronald Gower. The figures around the base are Macbeth, Hamlet, Prince Hal and Falstaff. This is the most elaborate sculptural monument to Shakespeare.



(Above) The Chandos portrait, accepted as the standard likeness of the Bard. First heard of in 1683. Supposed to have been painted by Richard Burbage, an associate of Shakespeare. Now in the National Gallery, London.



(At right) Monumental bust placed by the Italians at Juliet's tomb, Verona.



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Supposed portrait of Shakespeare at the age of twenty-four —Owned by the Misses Ludgate of Winston, Eng. This is a recent "find," and if the inscribed date is authentic, was painted when Shakespeare was a strolling player.



Monument on Hamlet's Terrace, Elsinore, Denmark.

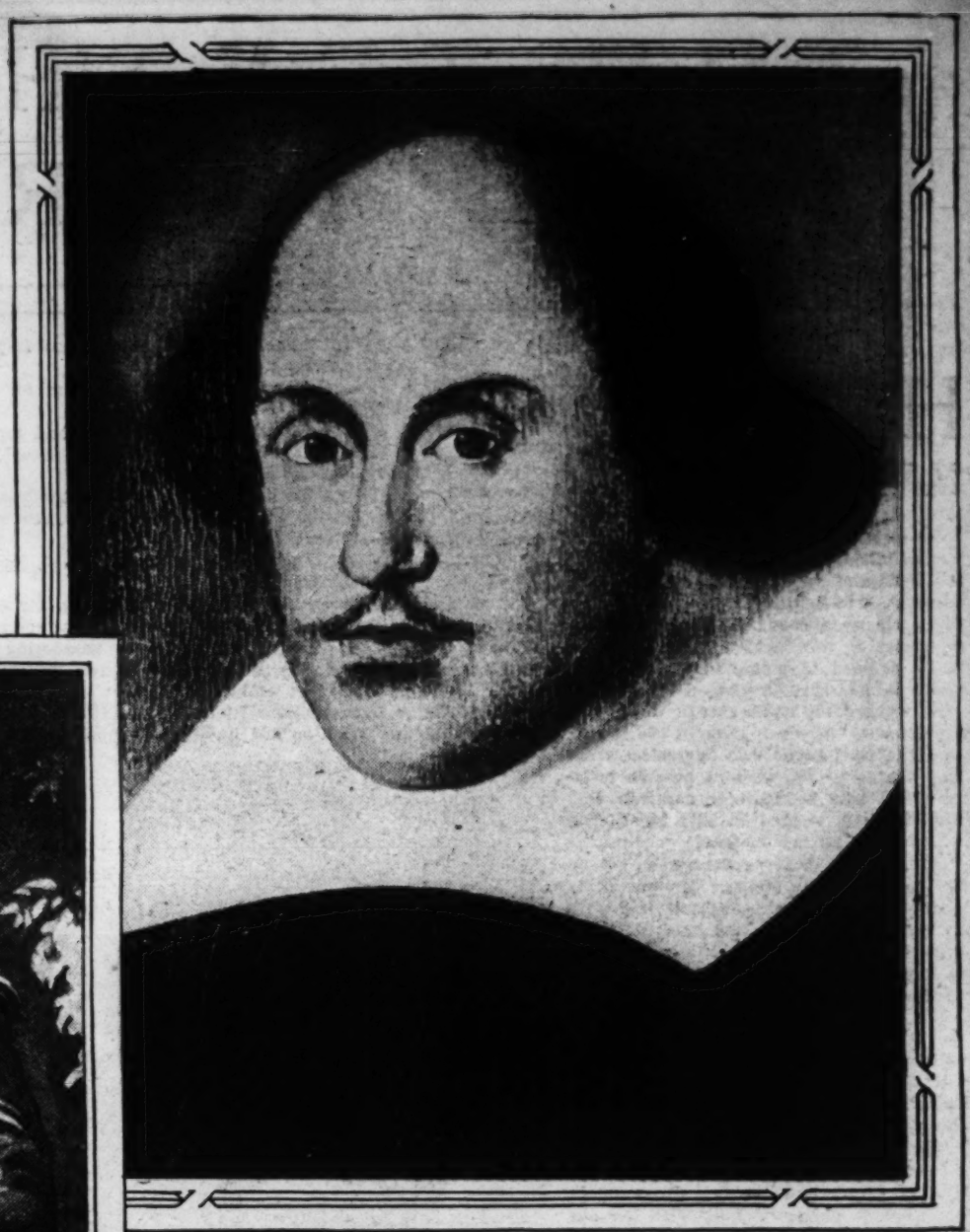
the Thousand Portraits nown to Be Authentic

HIS is Shakespeare year in the United States. Throughout the country the tercentenary anniversary of his birth is being celebrated by means of pageants and vals of his plays. Again the Shakespeare-Bacon controversy the air, and attention is called to the paucity of our knowl- of the poet's life. This interesting group of pictures from collection of Miss Kate Friend, a well known Shakespearean ority, represents a few of the innumerable versions of the and form of the Bard of Avon. Only the Droeshout por-, found in the first folio, and bearing the first two lines of the great Ben Jonson's dedication, is known to be authentic. The claims of the other versions to acceptance are set forth below.





Shakespeare as a schoolboy—An imaginary portrait in the Memorial Gallery, Stratford-on-Avon.



The Droeshout portrait, original of the engraving for which Ben Jonson wrote his poetic inscription in the First Folio. The painting here reproduced is believed to be the direct study from life made by the artist Droeshout, and used by him later as the model for his engraved copy. It bears a marked resemblance to the bust above Shakespeare's tomb in Trinity Church, Stratford-on-Avon.



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(Above) Old, dilapidated picture in attic of Stratford Manor house was cleaned recently and this portrait of Shakespeare discovered underneath. Now in birthplace. Presented by the Hunt family.



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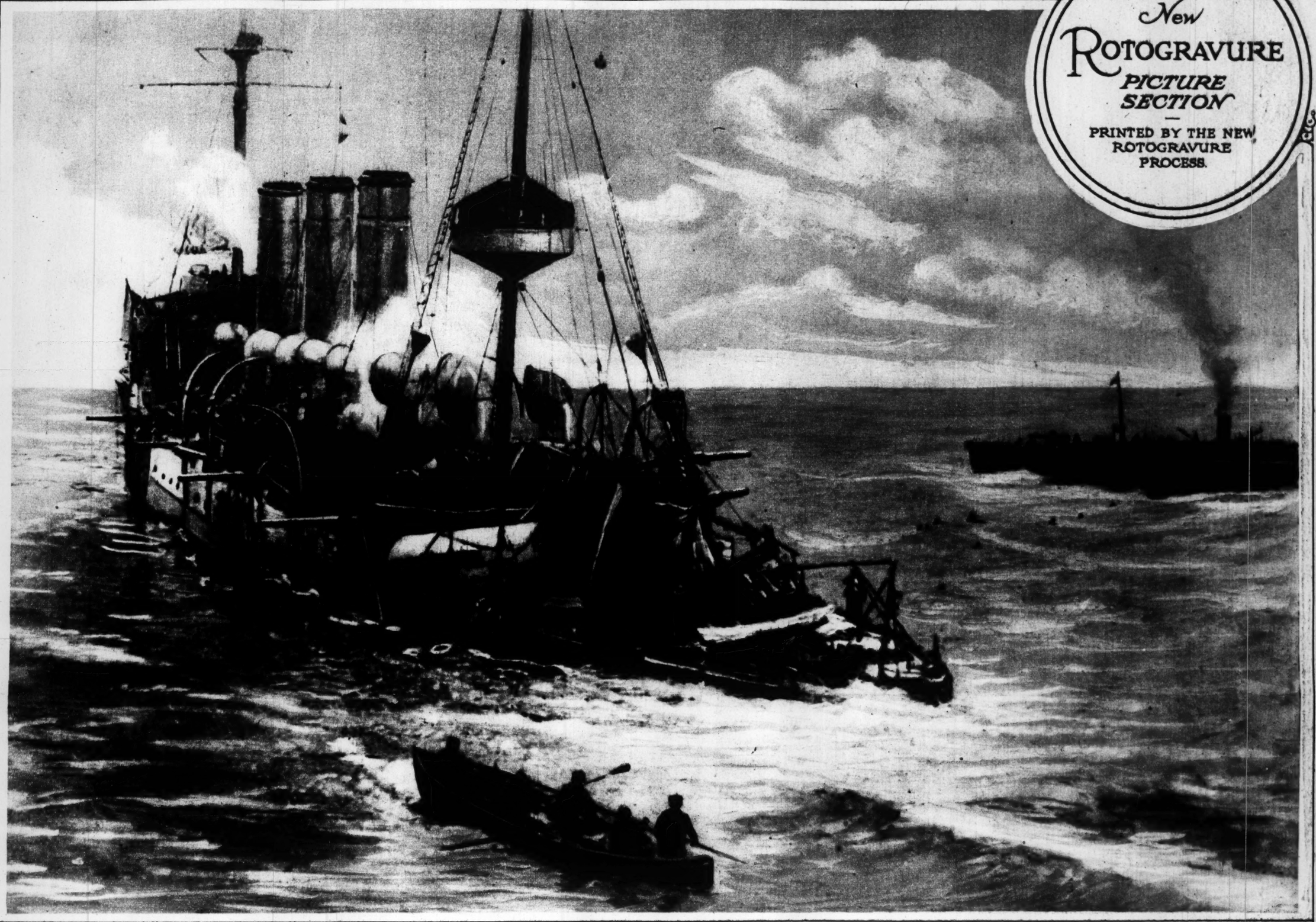
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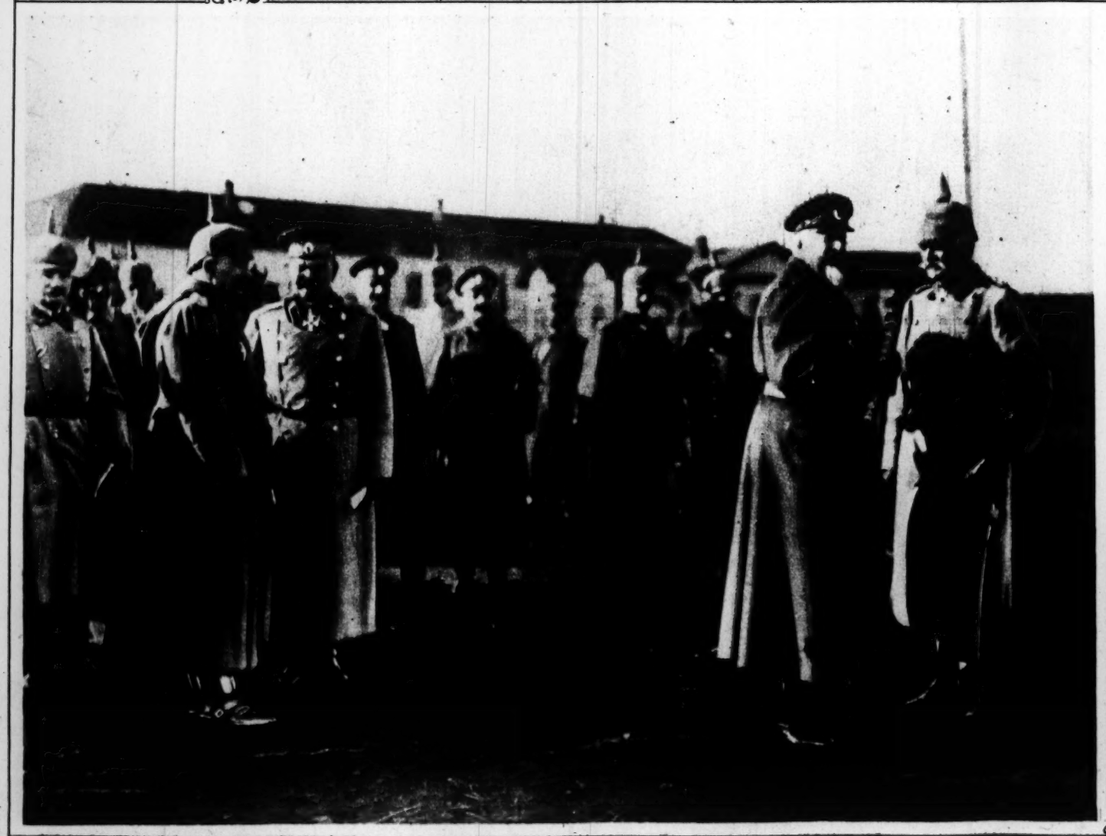
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An actual photograph of a violent artillery duel in the Champagne district. This picture was taken during an intense bombardment by a battery of heavy French mortars. Through the smoke and chalk dust one can see the hazy outlines of soldiers and other guns.

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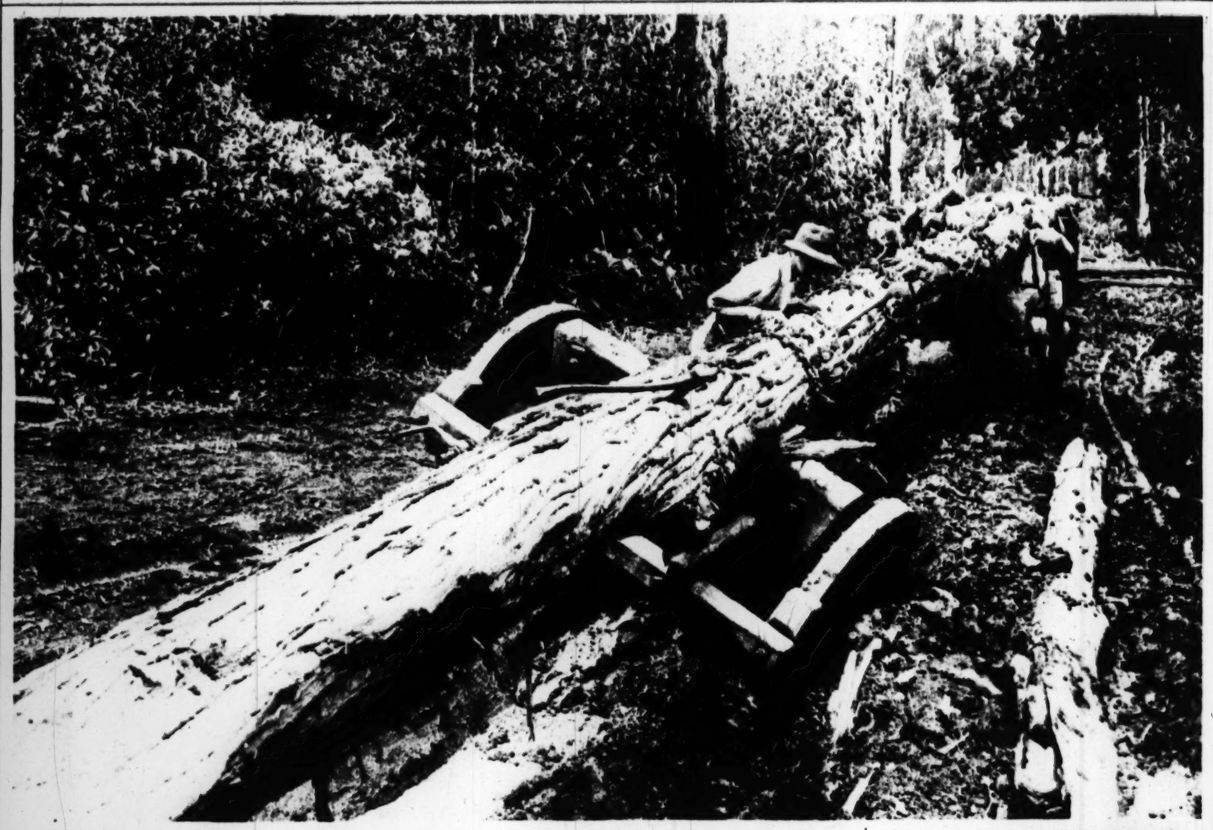
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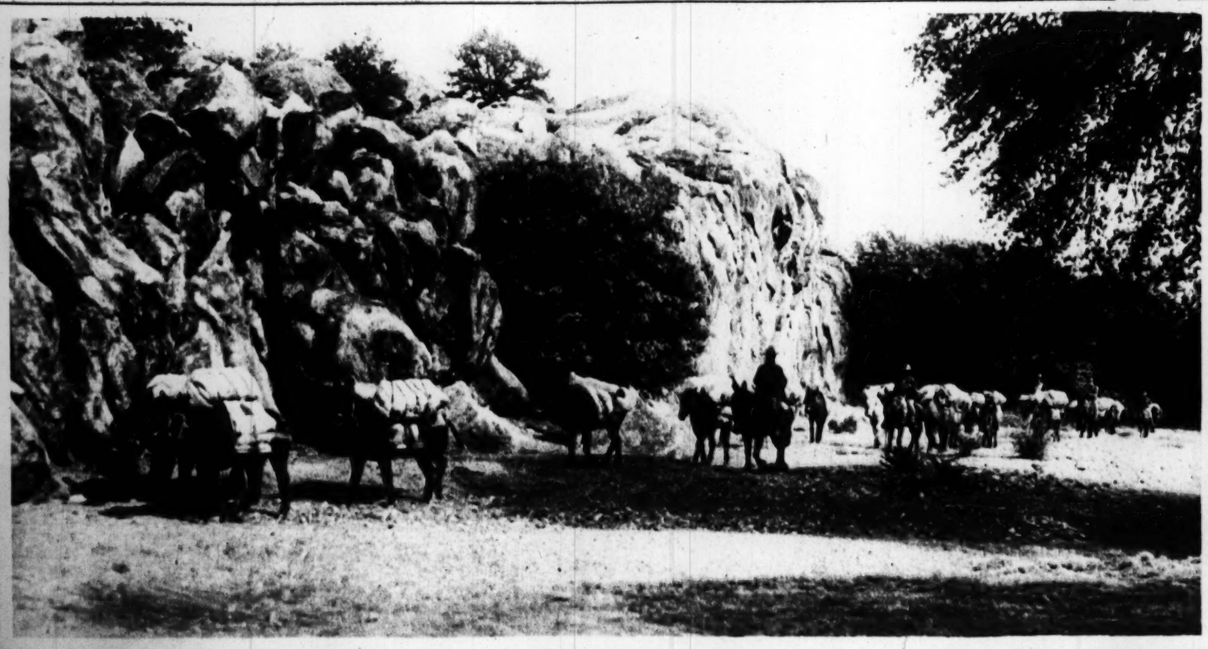
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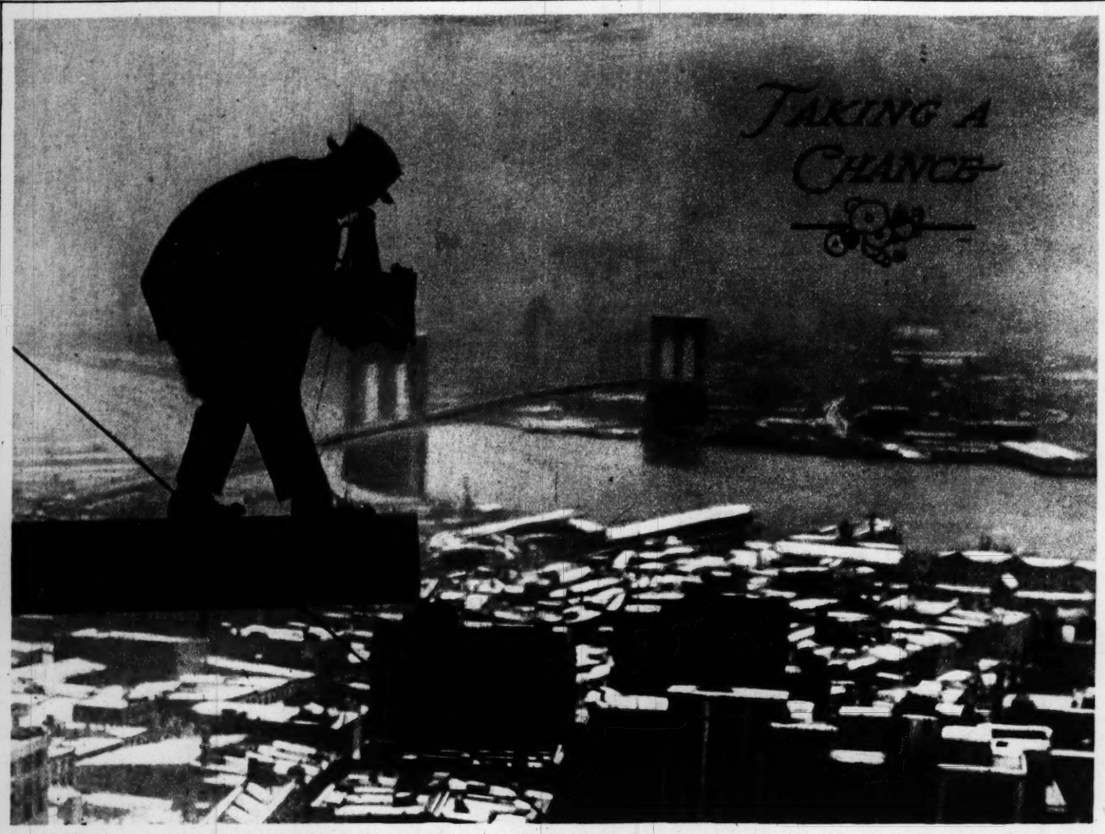
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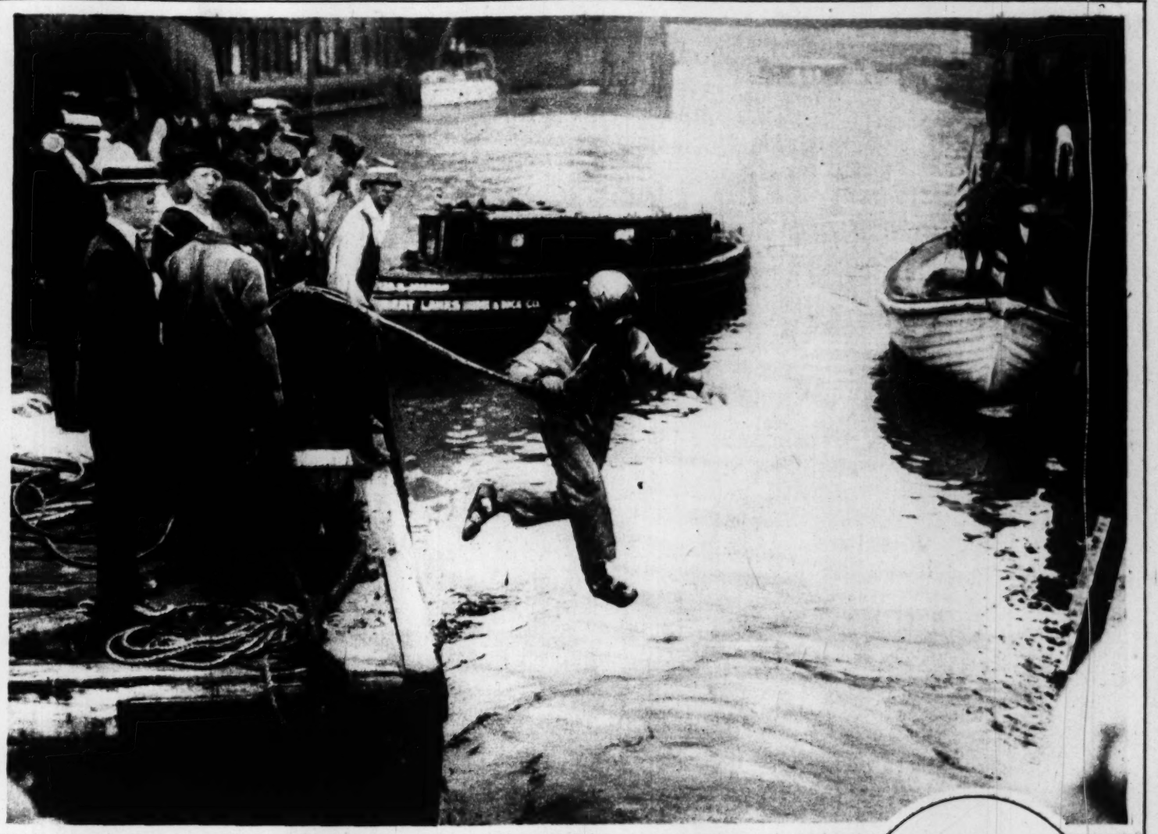
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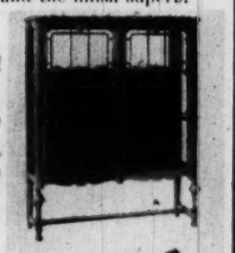
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Hans und Fritz—Der Link Iss a Hero

By R. Dirks *Originator of the Katzenjammer Kids*

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SHIFFER MY TIMBERS - EFFERY DAY VEN IT'S TIME FOR LESSONS DEM KIDS SNEAK ON SHORE! HIMMEL - LOOK -

FAT HEAD! HOW MANY TIMES MUST I SAY IT- TWO UND VUN AINT NINE!

MAN DER LIFE BOAT! HANS UND FRITZ ISS GE-KETCHED BY A CANNIBAL!

OO! VOT A HUNGRY GEEZER- HELLUP!

ZOOF!!

QUICK TO DER RESCUE BEFORE IT'S DINNER TIME!

VAIT!

PULL CAP, PULL! NOT A MINUTE ISS TO SPARE!

HEY YOU BIG STUFFER GET OUT OF MY EYE!

STOP DOT FOOLING- D'ERE ISS VORK TO BE DIDED!

STIFF LIPS BOYS UND VE SAFE YOU YET!!

HELP! CAPTAIN HELP!

AHOY TO DER RESCUE!

UGH! PALE FACE SPOIL BIG CHIEF DINNER!

GE-FOOZLE GE-FOOZLE!

SAFED BY DER LINK! MY VOT A SHAFE!

I'M CURED!! LESSONS ISS BETTER AS CANNIBALS!

FOR DER LUFF OF PICKLES - LOOK VOT COMES!

DER LINK ISS A HERO, DING- BUST HIS OLD HIDE!

WAHOO!

KEEP AVAY MIT DOT FELLER! CHUCK HIM OFER- HEY!

GOOD NIGHT!

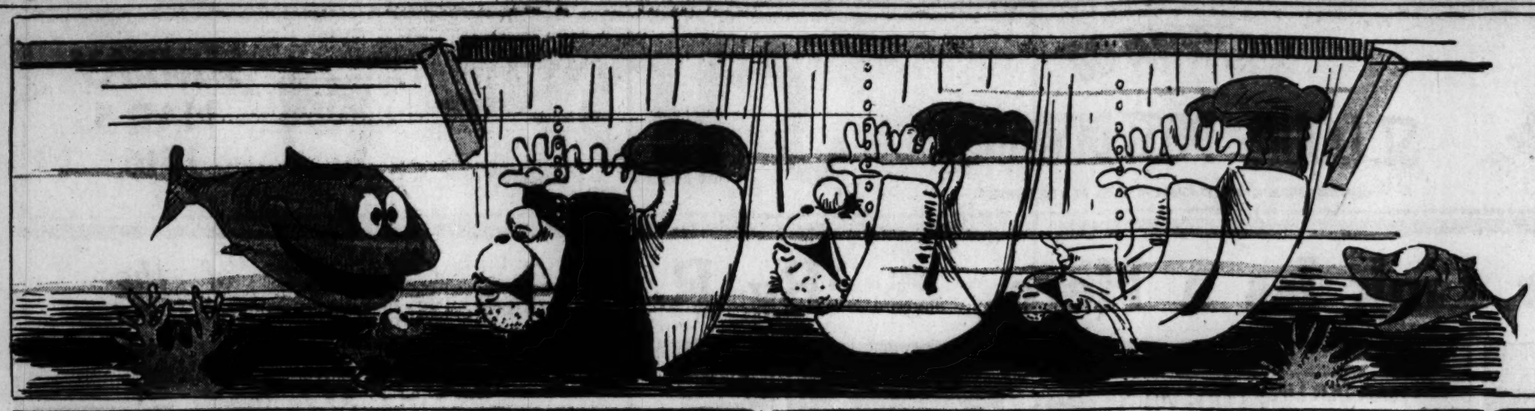
WAHOO!

OF ALL DER BONE HEADS YOU ISS DER BONIEST!

NOBODY ISS IN DER NOODLE!

LUMMOX - NOW LOOK!

R. DIRKS

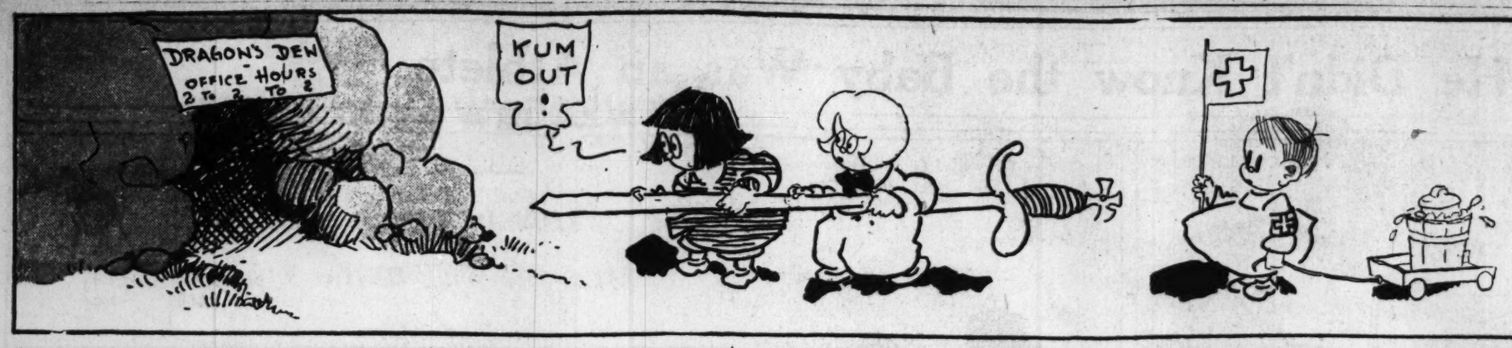


Hawkshaw the Detective

The Professor and His Gang Miss the 5.15 and a Whole Lot More.

Nippy's Pop

All That Desperate Ambrose Wants Is a Chance to Prove His Courage.

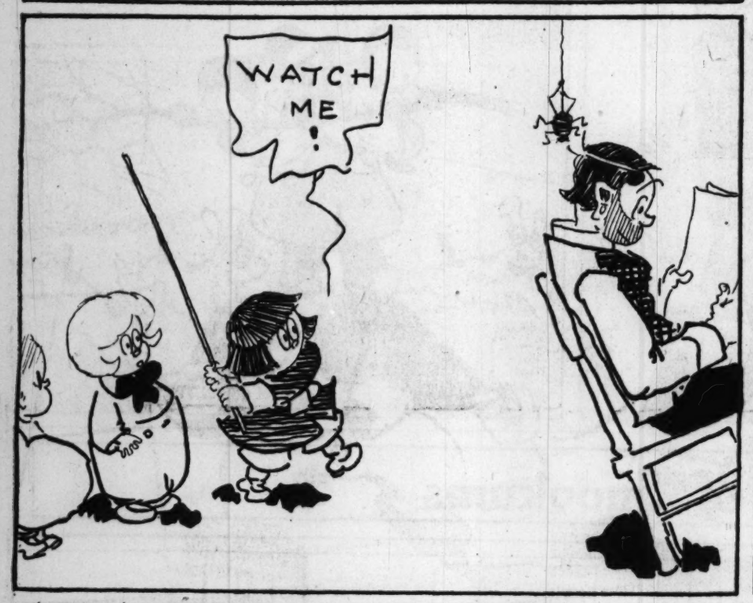


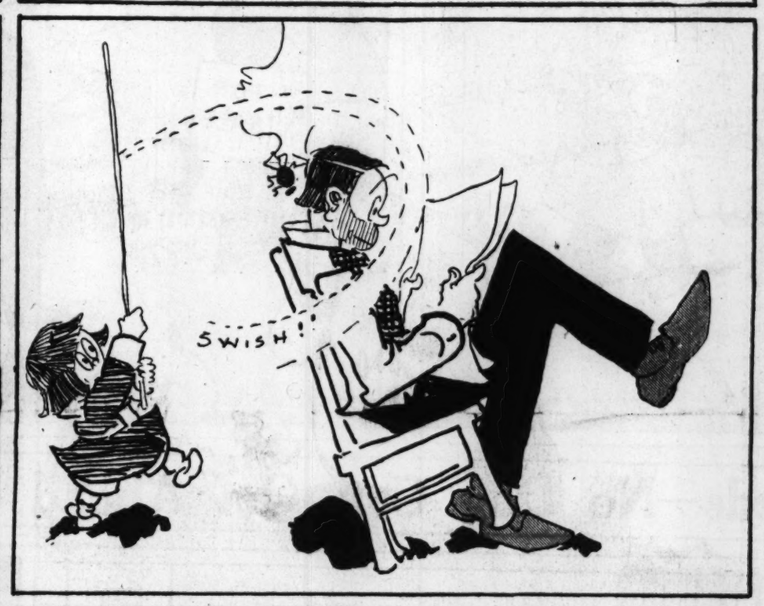


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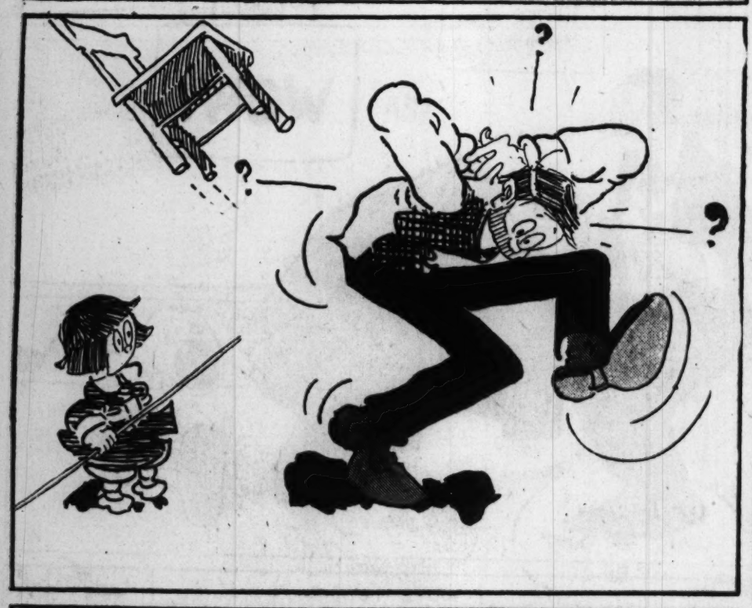


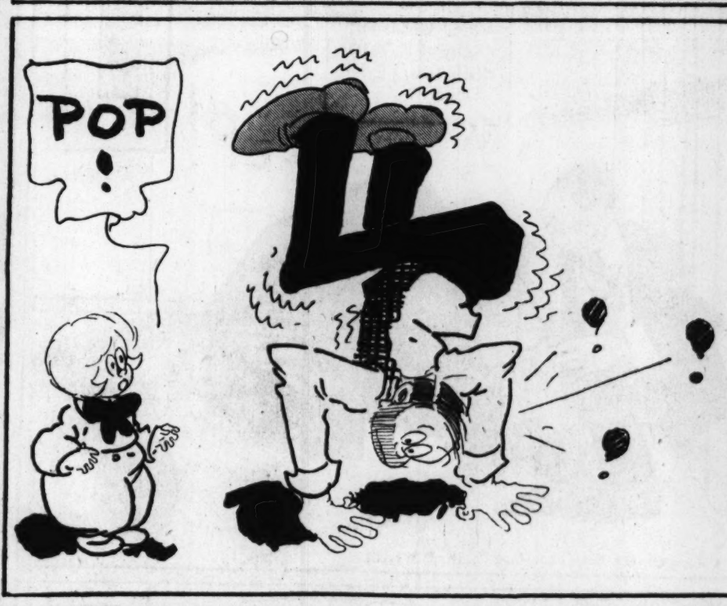


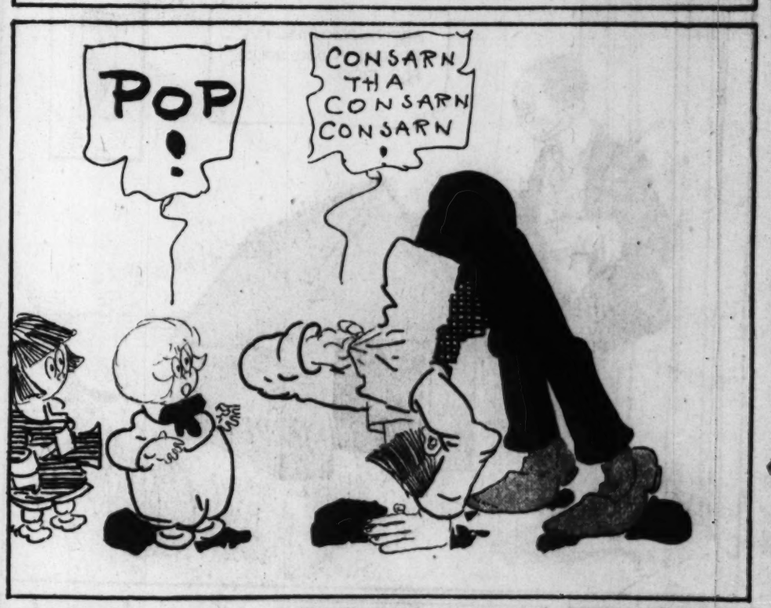


















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